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The Weather
Today—Sunny and a little warmer in the afternoon. Yesterday—High, 54 at 3:30 p.m.; low, 34 at 5:04 a.m. (Map and details on Page 2.)

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U. S. Winter Wheat Crop Put at Billion Bushels

Figure More Than 150 Million Above All-Time Record Yield Last Year

By John W. Ball
Post Reporter

An almost unbelievable billion-bushel winter wheat crop was forecast by the Government Crop Reporting Board yesterday.

The precise figure was 25 million bushels above a billion.

It was more than 150 million bushels greater than last year's all-time record crop of almost 874 million bushels.

Slightly offsetting the enormous estimate for winter wheat, however, was the board's statement that "prospects for spring-sown crops on May 1 were still dimmed by the backwardness of the season."

"Ample to excessive moisture," it added, "has been a factor in delaying spring work. Farmers have been unable to complete seeding of intended acreages of spring grains, particularly oats.

"If May weather permits, farmers will shift to corn and other crops for which the best planting dates come later. This could result in a larger aggregate production, since corn produces more per acre than oats."

Little Apprehension Felt

However, because of modern mechanical equipment, "little apprehension is felt," the forecast says.

The winter wheat crop, coming on the top of two record years, is an astounding 43 per cent increase over the 10-year (1936-45) average of 653 million bushels.

No estimate was given for spring wheat inasmuch as seeding of this crop has not been completed. Production of about 265 million bushels has been indicated, however, by reports of intended acreages. This would compare with 281 million last year.

Such a spring wheat crop would give a total yield of 1,290,000,000 bushels, contrasted with last year's all time record of 1,155,000,000.

The forecast also predicted a huge increase in rye; 24 million bushels against 18 million a year ago.

The board also predicted a big increase in orange production this year—a total of 114 million boxes—14 per cent above a year ago.

Grapefruit was estimated at 2 per cent below a year ago.

Forecasts for fruit crops in the Virginia-Maryland area were as of

See CROPS, Page 2, Column 7.

Wide Damage To Fruit Crop Still Feared

Losses estimated in the millions are feared by Maryland and Virginia fruit raisers from an unusually late spring cold wave that swept into the Appalachian area Thursday night.

The sudden drop in temperature caught many orchardists totally unprepared Thursday night—the coldest this late in the season since May 12, 1913. However, a protective wind and overcast cut down what might have been extreme damage during the night.

Last night the friendly wind and overcast of Thursday night were missing. Horticulturists who were optimistic early yesterday over the losses from the sudden cold, last night were frankly in fear of a major disaster to orchard crops.

No Relief Today

Adding to their fears was word from weather offices that no relief from the unseasonably cold wave may be expected before tomorrow at the earliest.

Last night the Weather Bureau forecast for the area:

Clear and cold again early today. Lowest near 35 in city and 28 in suburbs with frost. Sunny and a little warmer in the afternoon.

Army Sends Smudges

In Maryland the Army rushed to the defense of Washington County orchardists in an effort to save late-blooming fruits.

Thursday night, after hours of telephoning over strike-bound lines 400 smoke bombs from the Edgewood Arsenal at Aberdeen, Md., were sent into the orchard country near Hagerstown.

Arriving shortly after 4 a. m., the bombs were credited with having saved a million dollar crop in Washington County from destruction.

Last night 1000 more smoke bombs and pots were rushed into the Hagerstown area, Representative J. Glenn Beall (R., Md.) reported.

It was Beall and a colleague, Representative Horan (R., Wash.), a Western orchardist, who at the

See WEATHER, Page 2, Column 1.

Remove Victims of Rooming House Fire

INJURED IN LEAP FROM FLAMES—Navy Veteran Howard Spaulding, 21, holds his head in pain after leading from the second floor of the rooming house, 1223 13th st. nw., as it burned yesterday. Pvt. Joe Krahling, driver of No. 1 Fire Rescue Squad ambulance, helps Spaulding onto a stretcher

Post Staff Photos—Jones

BURNED BODY REMOVED—Still wearing over their shoulders the masks they used to penetrate thick smoke in fighting the fire yesterday at 1223 13th st. nw., members of No. 1 Fire Rescue Squad remove the body of a man identified by police as William E. Whidden, about 50, who was burned to death in his bedroom. Firement are Pvt. L. G. Porter (left), Sergt. D. A. Beachman (right, rear) and Pvt. G. I. Rhine (front)

Man Perishes In Rooming House Blaze

Lodger Fractures Leg in Leap From 2d-Story Window

A man was burned to death shortly before 5 p. m. yesterday in a fire on the second floor of 1223 13th st. nw., a rooming house.

Police identified the man as William E. Whidden, about 50, who made his home on the second floor of the 13th st. red brick two-story building. He was pronounced dead on arrival at Emergency Hospital by Dr. C. H. Wirth.

A second roomer, Howard L. Spaulding, 21, a sheet metal worker, suffered a possible fractured right leg in a leap from a second-story front window of the structure.

Neighbor Sees Smoke

The fire apparently started in Widden's room, neighbors said.

It was confined to the rear portion of the building. The rear portion contained more wood than the remainder of the building. It was badly damaged.

Mrs. Sadie Armstrong, 1221 13th st. nw., which is next door, said she smelled smoke. Glancing out, she saw it coming through a window. She called the fire department.

Widden, whom neighbors said was a elevator operator at the Hamilton Hotel, was at a window attempting to escape, Mrs. Armstrong said.

Brother Sees Leap

Spaulding, a discharged Naval enlisted man, likened the fire to some of the battles he saw in the Pacific. He said he had just arrived home from work and was undressing to wash up when he discovered the fire.

He was barefooted when he leaped about 20 feet to the street. He said the front window was the only way he could get out.

A brother, Raymond Spaulding, 1211 13th st. nw., saw him leap, ran to him and then took him to Emergency Hospital for treatment.

Leaves for Washington

Buenos Aires, May 9 (U.P.).—Dr. Oscar Ivanissevicr, Argentine Ambassador to the United States, departed for Washington today after a 36-day visit here. Besides resuming his ambassadorial duties in Washington, he also will be Argentine delegate to the Pan-American Union, replacing Gen. Carlos von der Becke.

Preakness Attracts 11 Horses Today

By Walter Haight
Post Reporter

Pimlico, Md., May 9.—In a race as wide open as the stands won't be, 11 three-year-old colts will battle it out tomorrow before some 45,000 fans in the fifty-seventh running of the $100,000 added Preakness.

So uncertain is this renewal of the famous Baltimore Bounce, outdating the Kentucky Derby, that the "experts" were still fishing around tonight, trying to locate the favorite.

The early-week support that was inching C. V. Whitney's Phalanx into favoritism over Maine Chance's Jet Pilot, the Derby winner, has swung toward Calumet's Faultless.

The way this crab town appears to be hopping on the Trainer Ben Jones bandwagon, the colt, who was third at Louisville, may be carrying the chief betting money in the gruelling mile and three-sixteenth test.

As this is written, it is almost take your choice among the trio who finished heads apart in last week's run for the roses—Jet Pilot, Phalanx and Faultless.

On thing is certain. The Derby, which several times has taken the edge off the Preakness by producing an unbeatable like War Admiral, Whirlaway or Count Fleet, this year served only as a preliminary to the Preakness. Not in the last 15 years has there been more interest in the battle first won by Survivor in 1873.

But while discussing the chances

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Assault Takes Dixie 'Cap At Pimlico

Pimlico, Md., May 9.—King Ranch's Assault, fast becoming a Marylander by adoption, won his third major race in two years over this track when he turned back the opposition in the forty-third running of the $30,000 added Dixie Handicap.

To make it an all-King Ranch day, the same stable sent a 3-year-old filly named Why Not Now to the post in the $20,000 added Pimlico Oaks and she had all the answers.

A crowd of 19,660 saw Assault win his second race of the year by half a length while under hand riding by Jockey Eddie Arcaro.

The combination, last seen here when Assault won the Pimlico Special last fall, led Arnold Hanger's Rico Monte into the wire with R. N. Ryan's Talon, a stablemate of Rico Monte, in third position.

Field of Seven

A field of seven competed in the Dixie, first contested here in 1870, and Assault as expected was an odds-on favorite and moved into third place, jumping ahead of Calumet's Armed, on the list of all-time money winners. He collected $24,700 for the victory and his backers took a $2.80 win mutuel.

The betting to show on Assault was so heavy that a minus show pool developed. The track having to dig down for $9724 to bring the prices up to the $2.20 minimum allowed in the State.

Assault zoomed around the outside of horses approaching the stretch to come into the wire after going over the route he trod when he won the Preakness last year.

See PIMLICO, Page 7, Column 6.

FBI Given More Say in Loyalty Test

Truman Program Would Add 7161 To Civil Service, Justice Agency

By Jerry Kluttz
Post Reporter

The President has given the FBI a more prominent role in his proposed loyalty investigation of Federal workers.

This was revealed yesterday as he asked Congress to immediately appropriate $24,900,000 to carry out his program. An explanation that accompanied the request made plain that the FBI would work with the Civil Service Commission in all phases of the inquiries.

An executive order issued six weeks ago failed to clarify the jurisdiction of the FBI and Civil Service. In the negotiations that followed, the President is reported to have personally decided to give the FBI a greater role in the work.

Would Add 4581 Employes

The President asked that Congress give the Civil Service Commission $16,160,000, and the FBI $8,740,000. If Congress agrees, Civil Service would more than double its present staff. It would add 4581 new employes of whom 825 would be investigators. Civil Service has 3450 employes now and only 125 are investigators. From 1500 to 2000 of the new employes would be in Washington.

The FBI would get $8,740,000. It would use the money to hire 2580 new employes of whom 546 would be G-men. The remainder would be fingerprint classifiers, file searchers, and other clerical employes. From 2000 to 2200 of the proposed new FBI staff would be located here.

In all, 7161 new employes would be hired under the program, and 1371 of them would be investigators.

No Duplication

Commenting on yesterday's action, a top Federal official said:

"The program as now constituted would be a real cooperative enterprise between Civil Service and the FBI. The FBI would be brought into every step of the investigations, and full use would be made of its staff and information. There would be no duplication between the FBI and Civil Service and Civil Service would not attempt to do some of the things now handled adequately by the FBI."

He admitted the executive order had not been clear on these points. Because of the uncertainty, Chairman Rees of the House Civil Service Committee sponsored a bill to

See LOYAL, Page 2, Column 4.

6-Foot Iron Bar Imbeds 6 Inches Into Youth's Skull

New York, May 9 (U.P.).—A 6-foot iron bar fell from a 12-story building today and imbedded itself six inches into the skull of George Duelser, 22, who was taken to a hospital in critical condition.

An ambulance was dispatched to the scene but Duelser could not fit into it because of the bar protruding from his head. A police emergency squad used a bolt cutter to reduce the size of the bar and he was taken to Bellevue Hospital.

Doctors performed an emergency operation to remove the bar.

Pope to Appear in Film

Rome, May 9 (U.P.).—Pope Pius XII has consented to appear in the documentary film "War Against War" being compiled by the Catholic Cinematographic Center, Vatican City sources said today. He will appeal for peace in seven languages, Italian, Spanish, French, German, English, Portuguese and Polish.

Fights Nomination Now

Ickes Promoted Judgeship For Johnson to Get Rid of Him

By the United Press

Pardon the members of a Senate Judiciary subcommittee if they seem a bit confused. They heard yesterday that:

1. Former Representative Jed Johnson (D., Okla.) didn't want to become a Federal judge in 1945, but former Secretary of Interior Harold L. Ickes got him nominated to the job anyway.

2. Johnson now would like very much to be allowed to accept President Truman's offer of the judgeship but Ickes is determined to prevent him from getting it.

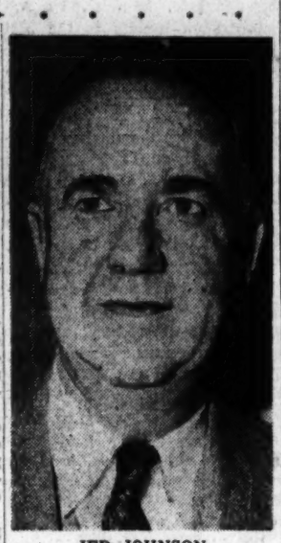
Ickes, the self-styled old curmudgeon, offered an explanation to the subcommittee, which is considering whether to send Johnson's nomination to the Senate for approval.

He said the idea in 1945 was to get Johnson out of the House where he was consistently cutting Interior Department spending requests, and put him "where he'd do the least harm."

"But it's not a matter of shifting now," he said. "It is proposed to put a private citizen on the bench. That is an entirely different matter."

He said Johnson "lacks the qualities a Federal judge should possess," and added that in his opinion the Oklahoma Democrat never possessed the qualifications of a Congressman, either.

"This is the most unusual qualification I've ever heard advanced for appointing a man to the Federal bench—because he irked someone,"



JED JOHNSON
Says Ickes, "unfit"

commented Senator Chapman Revercomb (D., W. Va.).

"I suppose I'm at fault," Ickes replied. "Maybe I shouldn't have done it."

He testified that, as chairman of the Appropriations Subcommittee in charge of Interior Department funds, Johnson frequently made "plain threats—just as plain as a

See CONFIRM, Page 2, Column 3.

Gen. Somervell Testifies May Asked Favors

ASF Chief During War Says Aid Was Enlisted On Garsson Deals

By Dillard Stokes
Post Reporter

Gen. Brehon H. Somervell, wartime Army Service Force commander, testified yesterday that Andrew Jackson May asked his help for the Garsson brothers.

Somervell was a witness in the District Court, where former Congressman May is on trial with Henry and Murray Garsson and Joseph F. Freeman, their contact man here, for bribery and conspiracy.

Tells of Two Requests

Somervell told the court that May once asked him to look into a cutback on trucks ordered from a Garsson company. Another time, the general said, May came to him when the Garssons wanted a higher labor quota than the Manpower Commission gave them.

The Government claims that the Garssons conspired with May to buy his influence in such matters for more than $50,000. A dozen officers have testified that May was active for munition makers, but not for any other contractor. Garsson war orders, in all, came to over 78 million dollars.

Two Others Accuse May

Lieut. Gen. Eugene Reybold, former Army Chief of Engineers, and Fred G. Sherrill, a former colonel, said May asked them to clear the way for Batavia Metals, a Garsson firm, to bid on wooden storage tanks needed by the Army. Batavia got the order.

Besides helping out on business matters, May is accused of using his office as chairman of the House Military Committee to help friends and relatives of the Garssons get promotions and transfers in the Army.

Col. Herrold Brooks said yesterday that Freeman and Capt. Murray Garsson came to him when Murray's son, Capt. Joseph Gars-

See MAY, Page 2, Column 6.

World Bank Lends France $250,000,000

30-Year Loan at 3¼% Is First Transaction Of New Organization

By Gerald G. Gross
Post Reporter

A 250 million dollar loan to France by the World Bank, the first on its books, was signed at 5:05 p. m. yesterday.

John J. McCloy, president of the Bank; French Ambassador Henri Bonnet and Wilfrid Baumgartner, president of Credit National, put their signatures on the agreement for a 30-year loan at 3¼ per cent interest.

Technical recipient of the loan is Credit National, a semipublic French corporation founded for the purpose of rehabilitating the nation's economy. The Republic of France guarantees the loan.

No Amortization for Five Years

Because the French recovery program contemplates heavy imports in the next five years, no part of the principal will be repaid during this period. Amortization will be started in the sixth year, slowly at first and then being accelerated so that the loan will be paid up in 30 years.

In addition to 3¼ per cent interest, the International Bank will charge a commission of 1 per cent on the outstanding portion of the loan. This is in accordance with the Bank's Articles of Agreement and is for the purpose of building up a special reserve.

The action taken yesterday by the executive directors, in special session, was the outgrowth of a request for a 500-million-dollar loan by the French Finance Minister on October 8, 1946.

Earmarked for Industry

McCloy said the bank is willing to consider another application from France next year, although it can make no commitment at this time as to the chances of favorable action.

A portion of the borrowed funds, it was stated, will be devoted to modernization of the war-shattered steel industry, including purchase of equipment for a modern continuous strip mill. Some will be used for improvement of communications, with locomotives, freight cars, cargo ships, canal barges and

See BANK, Page 2, Column 1.

$2 to $4 Raises Offered Striking Phone Workers

Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone yesterday offered 3000 striking members of the Washington Telephone Traffic Union weekly wage increases of $2 to $4 to end the 33-day-old telephone strike.

Under provision of the peace proposal, a flat $4 increase would be given phone operators, who comprise 90 per cent of the WTTU membership. Nonoperator members would get $2 to $4 depending on job classification.

A similar $2 to $4 peace offer ended the strike of 3000 members of the District Federation of Telephone Workers, representing commercial, accounting, and plant personnel, two days ago. The WTTU took the cash offer under consideration, but continued intensive negotiations sessions with C. & P. representatives on other points at issue.

Speedy Final Enactment Of Measure Is Predicted

Senate Gets Bill Back In Almost Identical Form as Approved; Changes are Minor

By Robert C. Albright
Post Reporter

The House last night approved 287 to 107 the Truman doctrine to combat Communism in Greece and Turkey, without making a single crippling change.

Two months of turbulent controversy on the sharp shift in foreign policy closed in complete rout of every opposition move.

The 400-million-dollars aid authorization (300 million dollars for Greece and 100 million dollars for Turkey) now goes back to the Senate which previously passed it in almost identical form.

Swift Enactment Seen

Swift conference agreement, if not actual concurrence by the Senate in minor House changes, is expected.

The nearly three-to-one House majority closed the book on a fight that delayed action 39 days beyond the March 31 deadline the President originally set.

Restrictions Rejected

Twenty-five moves to restrict the program, ranging from outright nullification to a 60-day holdup and reference to the United Nations collapsed so completely that the Administration was happily surprised.

Even some voluntary restrictions, which leaders told the House they were willing to accept, were rejected overwhelmingly.

The last test was hurdled at 6 p. m., when Representative Chet Holifield (D., Calif.) moved to recommit the bill.

Referral to U. N. Fails

The motion asked the President to put the whole Greek-Turkish security problem before the United Nations. Omitting any aid to Turkey, it authorized 100 million dollars for the "relief and rehabilitation" of Greece.

The motion was thundered down by a voice vote. Backers failed even to get a roll call on their recommit move when only a handful supported their request.

As passed by House and Senate, the bill sends no troops as such to either Turkey or Greece. Small military missions are authorized, to give "advice" and train Greek and Turkish troops in use of American military equipment made available by the act.

Civilian economic missions would be dispatched to both countries as well to supervise expenditures of funds authorized in the bill for the economic rehabilitation of each nation.

The House measure omitted the

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Senate Gets Tax Cut Bill On 8-5 Ballot

By the United Press

The Senate Finance Committee yesterday voted 8 to 5 to give the Nation's income taxpayers cuts ranging from 10½ to 30 per cent this year.

Senator Walter F. George (D., Ga.) former committee chairman, voted with seven Republicans to send the revised, House-approved legislation to the Senate. It may be taken up there late next week.

The bill, estimated to cost the Treasury about $3,200,000,000 in revenue during the next fiscal year beginning July 1, was approved after the committee beat down two Democratic moves to block it until Congress gets a clearer picture of the effects of the current Republican economy campaign.

Must Answer, Says Martin

Democratic leaders feel certain that President Truman will veto it, but House Speaker Joseph W. Martin, jr., warned that he will "have to answer to the voters" in 1948 if he tries that method of blocking it.

As revised, the bill would make tax cuts effective July 1 for all persons whose taxes are withheld from pay checks by law.

For taxes paid on a calendar year basis without withholding, the deductions would be sliced in half for the full calendar year 1947. The

See TAX, Page 2, Column 7.

Arabs Call on U. N. for Independent Palestine As Jewish Agency Asks Free Immigration

Lake Success, N. Y., May 9 (AP).—The Arab Higher Committee late today called on the United Nations for an independent state of Palestine immediately.

The Jewish Agency countered with a demand for free immigration that would build up a Jewish home in the Holy Land first.

The clash pivoted around the question of immigration, with the Arabs insisting that all entry into Palestine be halted immediately and the Jews seeking relaxation of the British ban on entry.

The Arabs now enjoy a two thirds population edge over the Jews in Palestine.

Henry Katan, Palestine attorney, made the keynote address for the Arab Higher Committee as the rival factions met face to face for the first time before the 55-nation political committee in the U. N. Assembly debate over the future of the British mandate.

In the call for independence, Katan said continuation of the British mandate threatens peace in Palestine and security of the Middle East. He added that "no amount of propaganda can change the Arab character of Palestine."

The 39-year-old Arab attorney took the floor in the crowded committee room just after Russia had demanded in open debate that a proposed U. N. inquiry commission on Palestine submit a plan "for establishing without delay the independent state of Palestine."

Moshe Shertok of the Jewish Agency immediately objected on the grounds that "independence cannot be considered without also considering establishment of a national home for the Jews."

The committee adjourned until 11 a. m. (EDT) tomorrow after delegates asked Katan a series of questions to be answered by the Arab committee next week. Russia requested a copy of the Arab speech for overnight study.

David Ben-Gurion of Jerusalem, chairman of the Jewish Agency Executive, stood by to speak later, probably Monday, as Shertok challenged the Soviet proposal.

The Soviet proposal appeared due to draw the fire of the United States and Britain. They wanted merely to give the commission board instructions and evade specific terms.

Andrei A. Gromyko, Russia, tossed the issue to the political committee in the midst of preliminary discussions of instructions for the investigating body. The Soviet deputy foreign minister also insisted that the group conduct an on-the-spot inquiry in Palestine.

The draft tentatively accepted by an 11-nation subcommittee said only that the commission should have the widest powers to ascertain and record facts and that "the principle that independence for the population of Palestine should be the ultimate purpose of any plan for the future of that country."

Prodded by Lebanon to state the British position on acceptance of any ultimate U. N. verdict on Palestine, Sir Alexander Cadogan said:

"We have tried for years to settle the problem of Palestine."

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Senate Committee Approves Treaties

'Soldier of Week' Is Air Cadet

PVT. THEODORE EDRIS, 18, of Reading, Pa., completed tests to qualify as the first enlisted man from Andrews Field to be appointed an Aviation Cadet under the new Army Air Forces pilot training program. He will appear as "Soldier of the Week" on Guy Lombardo's radio program Monday evening over WNBC, New York, and affiliated stations

Battle for Delay Of Italian Pact Expected on Floor

By Marshall Andrews
Post Reporter

Peace treaties with Italy, Romania, Hungary and Bulgaria were approved unanimously yesterday by the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

The result of 15 months of labor, the Italian treaty had been termed "too harsh" by many Italian-Americans and bitterly criticized as leaving Italy helpless before Communist infiltration. It had been upheld, however, by Administration leaders as the best possible in the circumstances.

All four treaties were sent to the Senate, where a two-thirds vote will be necessary for ratification. President Truman has asked immediate action and Chairman Vandenberg (R., Mich.) of the Foreign Relations Committee indicated yesterday he would seek to bring it to the floor this month. Vandenberg said no reservations were offered during a "long discussion" by committee members.

Reparations Criticized

Once on the floor of the Senate, it was expected the fight for delay on the Italian pact would be renewed. Not only has intense pressure been brought by Italian-American organizations, but several former members of the State Department have publicly urged delay.

Chief targets of treaty critics are its provisions for 360 million dollars in reparations from Italy, of which 100 million would go to Russia, and the clause demilitarizing the country. This latter provision, it has been contended, would leave Italy's northern border open to aggression by Soviet-dominated Yugoslavia.

Such a situation has been seen as contradicting President Truman's policy of bolstering Greek and Turkish defenses against Communist pressure. Mr. Truman, in a recent letter to Secretary of State Marshall, has made it clear he does not share this view.

Byrnes Defends Treaty

Former Secretary of State James F. Byrnes has pointed out that the treaty was the result of wide compromise and great labor and that it represented the most favorable terms possible. For instance, it was emphasized that reparations from Italy had been scaled down to 360 million dollars from 20 billion originally demanded.

Byrnes was joined in his defense of the treaty by Vandenberg and by Senator Connally (D., Tex.), both of whom worked with Byrnes while it was being written.

In addition to reparations of 100 million dollars for Russia, the treaty provides that Italy pay Yugoslavia 125 million, Greece 105 million, Ethiopia, 25 million and Albania 5 million.

The fight against the Italian treaty on the Senate floor is expected to take the form of demands for delay until conditions in Europe are clarified and the German and Austrian treaties take shape. Marshall has told the Foreign Relations Committee, however, that failure to ratify the Italian treaty likely would further delay action on those for Germany and Austria.

Armed Forces Limited

Highlights of treaties for the three Balkan countries are:

Bulgaria: To pay 45 million reparations to Greene and 25 million to Yugoslavia. To maintain an army of not more than 55,000, a navy limited to 3500 and an air force of 5000.

Romania: To pay 300 million dollars reparations to Russia. Army limited to 120,000 and air force to 8000.

Hungary: To pay 200 million in reparations to Russia and 100 million to Czechoslovakia and Yugoslavia. Army limited to 65,000 and air force to 5000.

The Hungarian and Bulgarian treaties provide for free navigation on the Danube River. The former Italian port of Trieste, bone of contention between Italy and Yugoslavia, is to become a free port.

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commercial airplane scheduled for acquisition.

France will be permitted to buy in whatever markets are most advantageous, the agreement provides, but the International Bank must be kept informed about goods purchased, their destination and utilization.

Created in 1919, Credit National is a quasi-governmental corporation whose original capital was subscribed by banks and industrial companies. Its mission is to assist in financing reconstruction and development of the French economy.

In a prepared statement, the president of the International Bank said the uncertainties facing France, the difficulties of expanding production and of improving finances and balancing accounts with foreign nations—all these are fully appreciated.

"These difficulties are the result of the development in the past 30 years and cannot be overcome in a few years," said McCloy. "Some of the factors impeding recovery, such as the low level of coal imports, are beyond the control of France.

"Where France has had the opportunity to speed recovery, in the rehabilitation of transport after liberation, in the expansion of the production of coal, electricity, textiles and other products, considerable success has been achieved.

"The plan for the modernization of the country's industries and agriculture is further evidence of the will of the French people to recover which, in the final analysis, is the justification for the loan."

It was pointed out that, under enemy occupation, France was denuded of its raw materials. Exports were virtually nil at the time of liberation and industrial production was scarcely one third of the prewar rate.

By the end of 1946, production had jumped to 90 per cent of the 1938 level and export volume had risen to 75 per cent. Heavy imports of essential equipment and supplies made this possible. Despite the gain in exports, they are still short of providing the foreign exchange required for import purchases, said the bank's statement.

French estimates are that in 1947 the income from exports, liquidation of private balances and investments abroad, proceeds of existing loans and from all other sources will fall below expenditures on imports of essential goods and services by 540 million dollars. In 1948 428 million dollars and in 1949, 198 million dollars.

Equilibrium with the rest of the world is expected in 1950.

Applications by eight countries for a total of $2,055,000,000 in loans are now pending with the World Bank. The French flotation represents more than one third of the bank's available 725 million dollars. Since the war's end, France has borrowed $1,150,000,000 from the Export-Import Bank.

Junior High Plans 'Country Fair' At Silver Spring

A "country fair" highlighted by games, amusements and variety entertainment features will be held from 4 to 9 p. m. today at Montgomery Hills Junior High School, Silver Sprnig, Md., under sponsorship of the school's P-TA.

Among features will be a concert by the Montgomery County School Band at 6:15, and two variety shows to be staged by pupils at 7 and 8 p. m. Participating in the variety show will be Sue Baker, Lois Watts, Judith Coleman, Pat Cooney, Louis Roberts, Joel Sussman, Charleen Kreh, Sally Baehr, Jeanne Edwards, Richard McFarland, Judy Thompson, Lorraine Magnuson and Patsy McDonald.

The fair also will feature pony rides, sideshows, movies, a "country store" and a variety of games.

Medical Men Elect

Newly elected officers of the Silver Spring Academy of Medicine were announced yesterday as follows: Dr. Norman C. Shoemaker, president; Dr. Homer King Vann, vice president; Dr. Merrill Cross, secretary-treasurer, and Dr. Richard Phillips, program chairman. Dr. Shoemaker succeeds Dr. Claude W. Mitchell.

Pilot Skill Saves 230 as Helicopter Crashes Nearby

New York, May 9 (U.P.).—A 28-year-old veteran Antarctic pilot employed daring skill today when he leap-frogged his damaged helicopter over a crowd of 230 high school pournalism students and then crashed in flames at Floyd Bennett Field.

James Gershowitz, Brooklyn, pilot, narrowly evarted a disaster when the tail rotor of the shop struck the ground as he banked. He pulled the ship into the air, skimmed over the heads of the students, and crashed 20 yards on the other side.

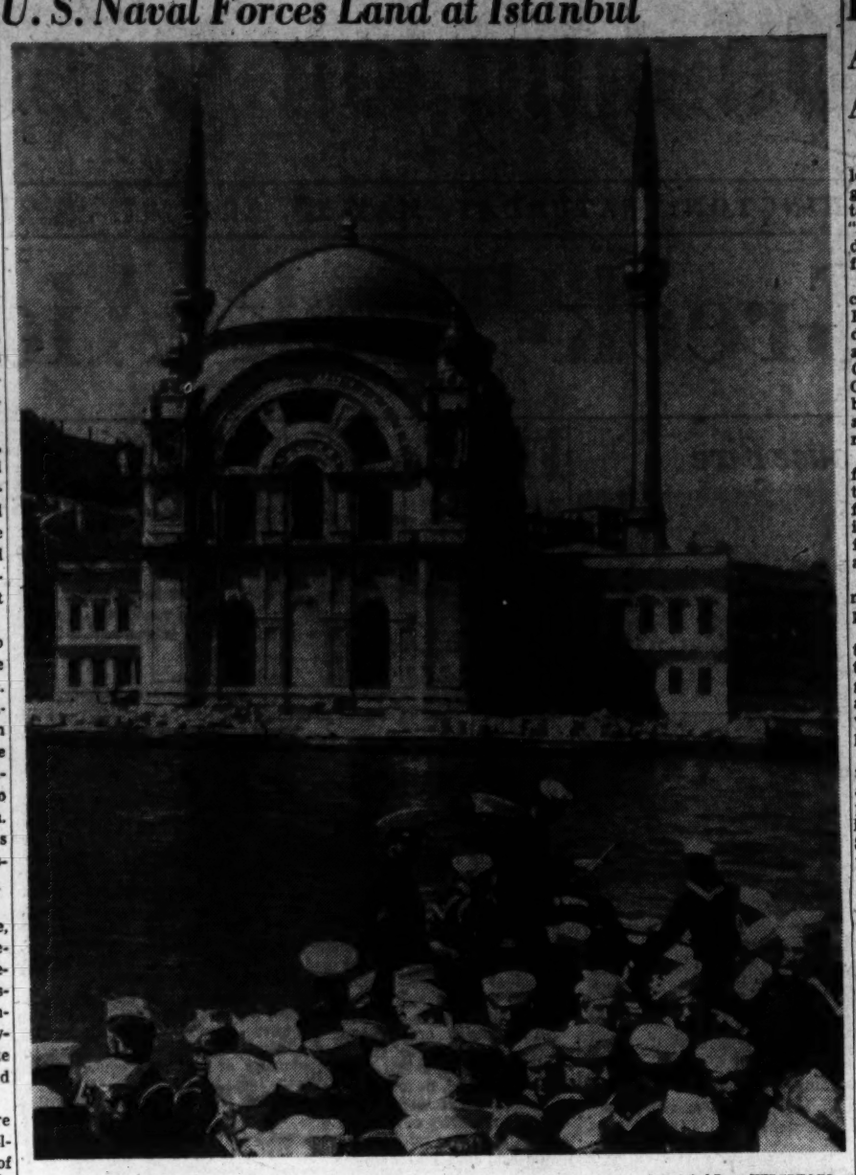
He and companion leaped from the plane as it burst into flomes. The plane was destroyed.

Duce's Son Wins Round In Argentina Court

Buenos Aires, Argentina, May 9 (U.P.).—Benito Mussolini's eldest son, Vittorio, today won the first legal skirmish toward legalizing his presence in Argentina when Federal Judge Juan Romero Ibarra ruled that he had not violated the "state security" decree of January, 1945, by entering the country clandestinely.

The case was brought before the court by the immigration department, charging that the late Duce's son had violated an unspecified provision of the decree.

U. S. Naval Forces Land at Istanbul



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LIBERTY "BEACHHEAD"—United States Marines and sailors in dress blues go ashore at Istanbul on the strategic Bosporus. They are in a boat from the carrier Leyte which paid a visit to the Turkish port and are approaching the mosque of Dolmabache, of the Sultan's waterfront palace, which is being converted into a Turkish naval museum

CONFIRM

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man can put down in the English language"—that if Ickes didn't do as he was told, the economy ax would fall heavily on his activities.

As a means of getting rid of Johnson, Ickes got him a nomination to the Federal bench. But the Congressman didn't want the job then and turned it down. Later he was defeated for renomination to the House.

"He wanted to remain on and tantalize you? Is that right?" asked Senator E. H. Moore (R., Okla.).

"Oh, I think he got some joy out of life," Ickes replied.

He said he knows what the late President Roosevelt and Mr. Truman have "said about" Johnson, "but I can't quote the Presidents."

"Do you mean," asked Senator Alexander Wiley (R., Wis.) "that Presidents so lightly esteem the judicial process that they appoint men they think are disqualified?"

Can't Tell Their Thoughts

"Senator," retorted Ickes, "I'm here to testify about facts within my knowledge. I can't testify about what was running through the minds of Presidents."

He accused Johnson of having once interceded for a former law partner in the collection of a fee in an Indian case, putting patronage pressure on the Interior Department, and repeatedly "threatening us with further cuts unless we did what he wanted us to do."

Newsprint Gets Priority

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, May 9 (U.P.).—The Finance ministry ordered today that all ships bringing newsprint from abroad shall be given priority in berthing and be immediately unloaded in Brazilian ports. Brazilian Lloyd ships now in the United States were ordered to proceed immediately to Canada to load newsprint. These steps were directed towards solving a critical newsprint shortage.

LOYAL

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center all the investigative work in FBI.

The explanation given to Congress of the request for money broke down the investigations in three classes of employes and outlined the work of the FBI and Civil Service as follows:

(1) People working in Government when the President's program is approved will have their names checked against the FBI fingerprint and name files. The FBI will make a full field investigation and reort its finding to the employing agencies in only those cases where derogatory evidence is turned in by the routine FBI checks. Either the employes or the agencies involved can appeal to the Civil Service loyalty board which will make its recommendations to the agency heads.

Fingerprint Checks

(2) All new employes will be checked against the FBI name and fingerprint files. Civil Service can also call on the FBI for all the information it has, or all it can develop, that bears on the loyalty of any new employe. Civil Service, however, will have the sole responsibility to determine eligibility in these cases.

(3) Civil Service must make full field investigations of each new employe in a so-called "sensitive" job. And it's estimated that 50,000 inquiries annually will be made of this class of employes.

Sensitive jobs will be designated by agency heads. They will include all high-level employes and all those who handle confidential and secret material. The order requires Civil Service to check these cases with the FBI, Army and Navy intelligence, Treasury investigators, and other possible sources of information. But here again, the commission will have sole responsibility for declaring a new employe qualified for a sensitive job.

Provides for Master Index

The commission also is required to maintain a master index of all investigations which have been made since 1939, and which will be made of employes and prospective employes.

If Congress agrees with the program, both the FBI and Civil Service would start to recruit immediately. The President asked that the money be made available promptly and to continue available through June 30, 1948. However, it would take from three to six months for both agencies to build up their staffs and to start on the program.

Apple Commission Tax Receipts Expected Dec. 31

Martinsburg, W. Va., May 9.—The newly-created West Virginia apple commission is mainly marking time until December 31 when receipts from the cent-a-bushel tax on commercially produced apples is due to arrive. Chairman Malcolm M. Brown said today.

He hoped, however, that some growers would anticipate the required payments and provide some working funds for whatever program the commission plans for the fall.

Thirty-seven apple growers of this area are planning to make a tour of the northwest apple-producing area next month, the Appalachian Apple Service, Inc., announced today. The focal point of the 18-day trip will be the annual meeting of the National Apple Institute in Wenatchee, Wash., June 12 to 14.

National Weather Summary

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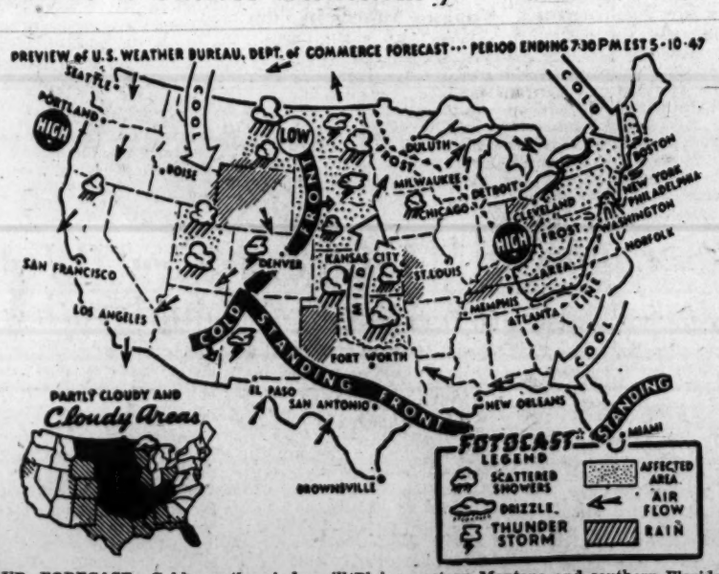

24-HOUR FORECAST: Cold, north winds will cause abnormally low temperatures in the Northeast again Saturday morning. Frost will form from New York State through Pennsylvania and Ohio to Tennessee and South Carolina. Early morning temperatures will be below freezing in New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Michigan, most of Wisconsin and Minnesota.

Apparently the weatherman is trying to brighten the spirits of farmers, gardeners and orchardists who have suffered severe crop damage for the past several days. The forecaster says, "Temperatures will moderate in New England, New York, Pennsylvania, the Ohio Valley and the Lakes region Saturday afternoon."

Rain is expected through the Ohio Valley, in western Missouri, northern Texas and Wyoming. Showers are in store for the northern and central Plains, eastern Montana and southern Florida.

It will be clear from Maine to Georgia and west of the Great Divide tonight. Clouds will cover the skies over Kentucky, Tennessee, the northern and central Plains.

Showers and thundershowers are scheduled to break out in the Dakotas, Colorado and New Mexico. (Affected areas picture where these storms will develop.)

Minimum temperatures will range from 25 degrees in northern Michigan to 72 at Miami Saturday morning. Afternoon maximum readings are expected to range from 92 at El Paso to 46 at Buffalo.

Forecast maximum temperatures include Fort Worth, 85 degrees; Atlanta, 75; Nashville, 72; St. Louis and Bismarck, 70; Kansas City, 68; Washington, 63; Philadelphia and Chicago, 60; New York and Hartford, 58; Milwaukee, 57; Pittsburgh, 54; Detroit, 53, and Cleveland, 50.

Hickenlooper Assails Soviet Atom Position

By the United Press

Chairman Bourke B. Hickenlooper (R., Iowa) of the Joint Congressional Atomic Energy Committee, said yesterday that Russia has "adamantly and completely" turned down American proposals for effective world atomic safeguards.

He made the statement after his committee met for three hours with Brig. Gen. Frederick H. Osborn, deputy United States representative on the United Nations Atomic Commission. Hickenlooper said Osborn's report was "discouraging" but that he held out hope that agreements with Russia could be reached.

Emphasizing that he spoke only for himself, Hickenlooper charged that the Soviets have bluntly refused American plans for effective international inspection of atomic facilities, and world control of atomic source materials.

He urged that the United States not "deviate one bit" from the basic proposals of the Baruch plan.

Osborn told the committee that this country is striving for a solution which would provide adequate guarantees against use of the atomic bomb and still permit development of the new force for peacetime uses.

Hickenlooper was asked whether the United States was considering an alternative to its world control plan in the event that its program is rejected. He replied that United States officials "are not yet ready to talk about alternatives."

MAY

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son was facing a court-martial in Europe. When Brooks told them the case was solely in Gen. Dwight G. Eisenhower's hands they said they would get May to write the general. Later they brought him a letter written by May and he gave it to Maj. Gen. Alden H. Waitt to take to Europe.

Eisenhower Letter Cited

Captain Garsson was found guilty of refusing to obey an order to place his men in a position he thought was tactically unsound. Fellow officers said he was right and the officer who took over his job was not required to occupy the position. Garsson's sentence to be dismissed from the Army was set aside and he was placed on the inactive list.

Prosecutor William A. Paisley offered to place May's letter to General Eisenhower in evidence, but Justice Henry A. Schweinhaut upheld a defense objection. Paisley said he hoped he would not have to call the general to court, but defense said they meant to summons him if the Government did not.

Request for Freeman

Brig. Gen. Miles Reber, who was the Army's head contact man on Capitol Hill during the war, testified yesterday that Congressman May asked his help in getting Albert Freeman, son of Joseph, brought back to the States from Guam. Reber said the case was complicated by young Freeman being involved in a marriage with a Japanese woman.

Reber said that as he understood the word, May's request was not "unpatriotic."

Col. C. J. Hauck, jr., yesterday firmly brushed aside defense suggestion that he was in error about Congressman May having tried to save an acrobat from the draft so his team would not be broken up. Defense counsel suggested that it might have been a troup of singers, but Hauck said it was an athlete, and he remembered the case well because when he turned May down the Congressman embarrassed him by bawling him out in front of Murray Garsson and Freeman.

The prosecutors late yesterday brought in half a dozen New York bankers, to trace a $2500 deposit wired to May's bank account by Henry Garsson in June, 1942. This appeared to have been done to cover a check for $2500 given May by Murray Garsson shortly before Murray's check had bounced.

POLICY

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Senate's Vandenberg-Connally "preamble" outlining objectives in hormany with the United Nations Charter but included the Vandenberg amendment, passed by the Senate.

This answered the argument that the United Nations was being bypassed by extending the Security Council and General Assembly a virtual invitation to take over the program by majority vote, waiving vetoes, if it can do the job itself. The President would terminate the program on request of either Greece or Turkey, or could end it on his own initiative.

6 D. C. Area Farm Experts in Japan

Six agricultural experts from the Washington area have reached Japan to advise the Japanese Ministry of Agriculture and Forestry, the Associated Press reported yesterday.

The six are R. L. Webster of Falls Church, associate director of information of the Department of Agriculture: R. R. Shaw of Arlington, librarian of the Department of Agriculture; Everett C. Weitzell of Alexandria, agriculture taxation adviser; Ralph U. Battles of Silver Spring, farm credit expert; Ward W. Fetrow of Germantown, agriculture cooperative specialist, and Arthur F. Raper of Arlington, land tenancy consultant.

Europeans Grateful To UNRRA, General Says

New York, May 9 (A.P.).—Maj. Gen. Lowell W. Rooks, (U.S.A., ret.) director general of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration, said today the hungry peoples of Europe know the source of UNRRA supplies and are extremely grateful.

"Regardless of the attitude of the governments, the people are grateful for what they have been receiving and it has been worth while," he said upon his return from an official inspection tour in European countries.

TAX

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house had voted to make all cuts retroactive to January 1.

Here is the scale of cuts:

30 per cent for persons with annual net incomes of $1000 or less.

30 ranging down to 20 per cent on incomes of from $1000 to $1395.

20 per cent on incomes from $1395 to approximately $79,000.

Below House Figures

15 per cent on incomes between $79,000 and $302,000. This represent a 5 per cent cut below House figures. The House had voted for a 20 per cent reduction on all incomes between $1395 and $302,000.

The very few taxpayers with part of their incomes reaching higher than $302,000 would receive cuts ranging from 15 per cent down to 10½ per cent.

Congressional tax experts figured that under the committee's scale, the withholding tax of a married man with no children, making $40 a week, would be cut from $3.30 to $2.20 on each pay check beginning July 1. If this man made $50 a week, they figured, he would have only $4 withheld instead of $5 at present. If he made $75, the withholding tax would drop from $9.40 to $7.50.

One Feature Liberalized

Without controversy, the committee liberalized a feature of the House measure granting an extra $500 tax exemption to persons over 65 years of age. The committee extended this additional relief to include both husband and wife, and scrapped a House restriction which would have denied the exemption to any person receiving comparable railroad retirement or old age pension exemptions.

Senator Scott W. Lucas (D., Ill.) said he did not ask the committee to vote on his substitute plan to achieve cuts this year through increases in all individual exemptions instead of by a percentage system. But he said he would offer it as an amendment when the Senate begins debate.

Besides George, Senators voting for the bill—all Republicans—were: Chairman Eugene D. Millikin, Colo., Robert A. Taft, Ohio, Hugh Butler, Nebr., Owen Brewster, Me., Harlan J. Bushfield, S. Dak., Albert W. Hawkins, N. J., and Edward Martin, Pa.

Voting against it—all Democrats—were Senators Alben W. Barkley, Ky., Tom Connally, Tex., Harry F. Byrd, Va., Edwin C. Johnson, Colo., and Lucas.

By 7 to 6 margins, the committee earlier defeated a proposal by George to postpone action until June 15, and one by Byrd to delay it for 10 days.

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Having failed, we have brought the problem to the United Nations.

"If they can find a just solution, we would naturally as a member of the U. N. accept it.

"We should not, however, have the sole responsibility for enforcing a decision whcih is not acceptable to both parties and not acceptable to own own conscience."

The Political Committee earlier accepted a subcommittee report rejecting hearings for all non-Government organizations except the Jewish Agency and the Arab Higher Committee. The committee noted that all such bodies could give testimony to the inquiry commission this summer.

The question of Christian participation in the debate on the Holy Land was raised in an application for hearing from the Catholic Near East Welfare Association, headed by Francis Cardinal Spellman of New York.

Declaring that "no study involved in the problem of Palestine can ignore the religious phase of the problem," the letter said:

"The interests of universal Christendom in the Holy Land transcend the political and national interests (valid though these be) of the minority Christian population of Palestine, which numbers 130,750.

"Although there may be included in the personnel of the Arab Higher Committee, one or two spokesmen for the Palestinian Christian minority, nevertheless the committee itself by reason of its tradition, its leadership, its overwhelming Moslem majority, and by the fact of its purpose to present the case for a predominantly Arab Moslem population of a million, cannot reasonably be charged with the task or expected to represent adequately the interests of universal Christendom in the Holy Land."

The Roman Catholic population of Palestine numbers at least 45,400 of the 130,750 Christians.

The session produced a series of Arab attacks on Jewish appeals for lifting of immigration bars.

Mahmoud Hassan Pasha of Egypt said he did not see "how we can allow an invasion of Palestine by an alien religious group." He contended that it was against the U. N. Charter to single out Palestine from all countries of the world "and make its independence conditional on letting in Jews."

CROPS

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May 1, which would reflect no effects of recent frosts. Peaches in both States gave prospects at that time of large crops.

Prospects for winter wheat in Maryland jumped from 7,320,000 bushels last year to 8,143,000 this year; in Virginia it dropped from 8,344,000 to 8,143,000.

Rye crops in Maryland were forecast at 360,000 bushels against 203,000 last year in Virginia at 406,000 compared with 392,000 in 1946.

Selassie Asks Colonies

London, May 9 (U.P.).—The Daily Telegraph in an Addis Ababa dispatch tonight quoted Emperor Haile Selassie of Ethiopia as saying in an exclusive interview that his country would insist on getting Italy's former colonies of Eritrea and Italian Somaliland. The Emperor told correspondent Martin Moore that he rejected any suggestion of United Nations trusteeship over the colonies of a partition of Eritrea, the dispatch said.

Murray Plans Substitute For Labor Bill

BULLETIN

Senator Murray (D., Mont.) last night precipitated an angry Senatorial exchange when he announced he would offer a substitute bill for the labor measure now pending. Senator Taft (R., Ohio) termed Murray's move "a completely dilatory tactic," and said "he would be justified" in moving to lay it on the table, which would be equivalent to killing any consideration of it.

For 15 minutes accusations of "bad taste" and senatorial "discourtesy" were exchanged across the aisle. Murray's announcement shattered all hope of an agreement for a final vote on the bill at a specified time on Monday or Tuesday.

Earlier, the Senate defeated by a vote of 21 to 57 an amendment which would have outlawed all forms of unions security agreements, including the union shop.

By The Associated Press

The Senate, pressing on with its general labor legislation, yesterday voted to make unions liable for damages for jurisdictional strikes and secondary boycotts. But it defeated two moves which would have permitted employers to seek injunctions to stop them.

A jurisdictional strike is a quarrel between two unions for the right to do a certain job or for recognition by the employer. In a secondary boycott, a union refuses to handle products of an employer with whom it has no direct quarrel.

The provision permitting employers or anyone else damaged by jurisdictional strikes or secondary boycotts to sue the union responsible for damages and costs was adopted 65 to 26.

Sponsored by Taft

It was sponsored by Senator Taft (R., Ohio). Originally he favored authorization of employer injunctions, but withdrew his support of this several days ago when considerable opposition to it among his Republican colleagues became evident.

Senator Pepper (D., Fla.) said the new Taft proposal would "foment litigation" and be "detrimental to the public interest."

Senator Morse (R., Oreg.) contended it would open labor disputes to inunctions. Taft disputed this, saying that the Norris-La Guardia anti-injunction Act remains in effect.

Before this vote on the Taft proposal, the Senate beat down, 62 to 28, an amendment by Senator Ball (R., Minn.) which would have permitted any private employer to file for an injunction to block jurisdictional strikes and secondary boycotts.

Aiken Proposal Rejected

Then it rejected, 54 to 36, a proposal by Senator Aiken (R., Vt.) to make an exception and let farmers obtain injunctions when they are blocked from delivering perishable fruits and vegetables to market because of such strikes and boycotts.

The Taft amendment defines a jurisdictional strike and a secondary boycott as "a strike or a concerted refusal to use, manufacture, process, transport, or otherwise handle or work on any goods, articles, materials, or commodities or to perform any services in the course of their (workers') employment for the purpose of forcing or requiring any employer or other person" to stop business with another person or to recognize a union not certified as the bargaining agent.

WEATHER

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instance of Eldred Rinehart, Farm Bureau official of Washinton County, got in touch with Maj. Gen. Alden H. Waitt of the Chemical Warfare Service late Thursday night, and got the Army aid.

In other sections of the Appalachian apple area, comprising parts of Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and Pennsylvania, smudge pots and home-made fires to generate smoke and heat, marked orchard after orchard.

Hundreds of acres were enveloped in smoke from oil-soaked bales of hay, straw or from piles of smoldering logs and grasses.

Estimates of the damage from the Thursday night frosts were varied yesterday. Most experts refused to attempt an estimate. Several days will be needed to appraise the losses, orchardists admitted.

Late yesterday, after a survey of the entire Appalachian apple area, Truman Nold, director of the National Apple Institute in Washington, reported:

"The loss Thursday night was not as great as at first feared. It was mainly localized. Heavy losses were averted because of the wind and overcast.

"However, our great fear is for tonight. The wind and overcast that saved us Thursday is missing, and the entire area from Harrisonburg, Va., northward is in danger."

49-Year Record for Day

Reports indicated that damage in the low areas and in the higher mountain orchards would be greatest. In the altitudes in between it was thought the damage would not be great.

Some experts, however, predicted that the late frosts would cut down this year's fruit yields to that of two years ago, when a crop one third of normal was harvested.

The weather early yesterday was the coldest in this area on May 9 since 1898—49 years ago. It was the coldest on record this late in the season since May 12, 1913.

Thursday night low temperatures reported by the Weather Bureau included Martinsburg, W. Va., 28; Elkins, 25; Charleston, W. Va., 28; Pulaski, Va., 29; Lynchburg and Roanoke, Va., 32; Gordonsville, 23.

The temperature in the District dropped to 34; in Baltimore 37.

The mercury reached as low as 23 in western Maryland. Frederick's reading of 26 Thursday night was the lowest there in 55 years so late in the season. Nearby Unionville was 24.

Chief damages in fruits was to apples, peaches, strawberries and cherries.

Maryland News

Maryland Public Works Board Tuesday to Consider Building Proposals

Annapolis, Md., May 9 (AP).—The Maryland Board of Public Works will meet Tuesday to consider various building proposals and a host of details involved in operating State institutions.

Probably the biggest problem facing the board is the recommendation of the 1947 General Assembly that the 219-million-dollar biennial budget be trimmed.

The board has met only once since the Legislature adjourned. At that session, the Governor advised Budget Director Walter N. Kirkman to go to work on budget-trimming suggestions.

Members of the board were apparently not in favor of any across-the board cutting of proposed expenditures, but would consider decreases on the merits of the projects.

At the recent meeting it became apparent, also, that the board would follow a go-slow policy in approving new construction for the State.

While the Legislature approved an emergency bond issue of $11,695,000 for public buildings, the high cost of building materials and labor shortages would no doubt retard approval of the specific projects authorized by the Legislature.

Increased architectural costs have already become a problem for the board, and although it was made plain that emergency projects will win approval, others for which final plans have not yet been completed may be delayed for some time.

The board is awaiting the attorney general's opinions on two subjects discussed at the last board meeting. One is whether the State is liable to pay legislators' salaries twice, in case a legislator dies or resigns, when his successor takes over. The legislators' salaries, according to law, are paid in advance.

The other matter on which an opinion is expected is an allotment of $1500 made by former Governor O'Conor from an item for surveys and commissions to be used for a permanent trophy at the Chesapeake Bay Fishing Fair Association.

Midshipmen Honored

Annapolis, Md., May 9 (AP).—Two scholastic awards to midshipmen in this year's Naval Academy graduating class were announced by Rear Admiral James L. Holloway, jr., superintendent, today.

The Military Order of Foreign Wars prize—a gold pen and pencil set—for highest standing in mathematics to James Wilson Hawthorne of Greenwich, Conn.

The United States Lines prize—Marine binoculars—for highest standing in foreign languages to Nicholas Guletsky of Boston, Mass.

The awards will be presented during June Week.

Calvert County Sale

Leonardtown, Md., May 9.—A 98-acre tract owned by Bernard E. Arminger near Lower Marlboro in Calvert County has been sold to William E. and Hazel L. Stallings, the clerk of the county court at Prince Frederick, reported today. Ten other property transfers were recorded by the office in the past week.

Frederick Memorial

Frederick, Md., May 9 (AP).—The Frederick County World War II memorial, containing the names of 126 dead, will be completed about October 15, the board of managers of Mount Olivet Cemetery announced today.

They said the memorial will be at the southern end of the cemetery, southeast of the Barbara Fritchie Monument.

VFW Installs Duffy

Leonardtown, Md., May 9.—James A. Duffy has been installed as senior vice commander of the John A. Millard Post No. 1800, Veterans of Foreign Wars. Other officers are Robert Ashby, junior vice commander; George Adams, adjutant; James Warder; quartermaster; and Raymond Deskins, officer of the day.

Women's Auxiliary officers recently installed are Mrs. M. Mattingly, jr., senior vice president; Mrs. A. A. Simpson, junior vice president; Mrs. L. Pennock, treasurer; Mrs. M. Brawner, secretary; and Mrs. J. Walter, conductress.

64th Commencement

Westminster, Md., May 9 (AP).—Dr. Lester A. Welliver, president of Westminster Theological Seminary, announced today the sixty-fourth commencement exercises will be held May 19 for 21 students.

The Rev. Harris E. Kirk, pastor of the Franklin Street Presbyterian Church in Baltimore, will be commencement speaker.

Marylanders receiving degrees include: Harold E. Archer, Ellicott City; Rollan E. Ferry, Royal Oak; Donald O. Hornung, Ingleside; Charles E. Niner, Baltimore; Franklin B. Phelps, Westminster; John Marlin Rittler, Randallstown; Donald T. McIntosh, Union Bridge, and Edwin G. Reter, Monkton.

Painters Strike

Baltimore, May 9 (AP).—Approximately 800 members of the Brotherhood of Painters, AFL, District Council 23, went on strike today for a 27½ cents an hour increase, William D. Ilgenfritz, business agent, reported.

He said no picket action is planned and that a meeting has been arranged for Monday at Federal Conciliator Lucien Rye's office between the union and members of the Associated Painters and Decorators of Baltimore.

Advice on Trees

Annapolis, Mr. May 9 (AP).—Reporting that 750,000 Maryland roadside trees were trimmed last year by public utility crews supervised by forest wardens, State Forester H. C. Buckingham offered tree owners a new advisory service today.

Buckingham said the Department of Forests and Parks would be "glad to give advice" as to the best procedure in caring for roadside or other ornamental trees which show signs of attack by insects or disease.

He said, "The department cannot itself treat such trees, since that is a matter to be handled either by the owner or by a commercial tree expert. It can, however, act in an advisory capacity that may help the owner to solve his problem.

The roadside tree work carried on by the department, Buckingham said, "is necessary to prevent interference with overhead wires by growing tree branches.

Cumberland Firm Sued

Baltimore, May 9 (AP).—The Government filed injunction proceedings in Federal Court today to restrain the Community Baking Co. of Cumberland, Md., and John A. Kreiling, its vice president, treasurer and plant manager, from shipping in interstate commerce what it contended was adulterated foods.

The Government complaint set forth the defendant concern makes bread, rolls, cakes and other baking products. The petition contended the products were prepared under insanitary conditions and that some of them contained insects, rodents and other filthy substances.

Judge William C. Coleman gave the defendants until May 26 to show cause why the injunction should not be issued.

Jobless Pay Sentence

Annapolis, Md., May 9 (AP).—Howard R. Madary of Annapolis was given a suspended 18-month prison sentence today following a plea of guilty to charges of accepting illegally $180 in unemployment compensation checks.

The sentence was imposed by Judge William J. McWilliams in the County Circuit Court.

Sales Tax Arguments

Baltimore, May 9 (AP).—Arguments will be heard next Thursday, instead of Monday, in a case to determine whether Governor Lane and two other state officials should be requested to testify in advance of a trial testing the newly-enacted Maryland sales tax.

The date was set by Superior Judge Paul Mason.

The appearance of Lane, secretary of State John B. Funk and Louis J. O'Donnell, the Governor's assistant, was asked by Hyman B. Pressman, Baltimore attorney contesting the legality of the levy passed by the 1947 general assembly.

Ex-Pressman Guilty

Baltimore, May 9 (AP).—Three employes of the Railway Express Agency in Cumberland, Md., pleaded guilty in federal court today to stealing radios, toasters and other electrical equipment from interstate commerce and received prison terms or fines.

Four other Cumberland residents pleaded guilty to receiving the stolen gods and were fined a total of $550 and costs by Judge W. Calvin Chesnut.

Charged with theft and embezzlement were: Lawrence J. F. F. Simmons, 26, sentenced to one year and a day in prison for stealing two radios and an electric mixer; Irvin J. Duvall, 26, sentenced to 18 months imprisonment for theft of a food mixer, two radios and 96 cigarette lighters; and Walter L. Perdew, fined $250 and costs and put under two probation for theft of a radio.

Simmons' wife, Mrs. Emily Simmons, 24, was placed under two years probation for receiving stolen goods. On the same charge, Jack W. Williams, 26, was fined $100 and costs, Devon S. Beachley, 30, was placed under two years probation, and Harold A. Sills, was fined $100 and costs and placed under two years probation.

U. S. Attorney Bernard J. Flynn said the thefts occurred last fall.

Buscher Indorsed For VFW Head

Charles B. Buscher, president of the Northwood Park-Four Corners Citizens Asociation, has been indorsed by the Silver Spring, Md., Memorial Post VFW as a candidate for the State Commander, it was announced yesterday.

The 25 delegates to represent the post at the State encampment in Ocean City, Md., June 20, 21 and 22, have been instructed to vote for Buscher, Commander Alger Y. Barbee, said.

Those elected as delegates are: Lawrence Joyce, David McCann, L. T. Faulconer, Charles E. Peter, Ward Caddington, Samuel Spencer, George Wade, Henry Rinaldi, L. V. B. Kreh, Edward Foster, William C. Barnes, C. W. Wahl, Joseph Buscher, Thomas Leibig, Arthur Burke, John Morton, Jack Windsor, William Wheeler, Homer Booth, Calvin Schaeffer, Peter Blackwell, Charles Trainor, Ashton Coburn, Jack Clark and Al Shorb.

Rev. F. E. Pulley Named West Point Chaplain

Richmond, Va., May 9 (AP).—President Truman has appointed the Rev. Frank Easton Pulley, rector of the Episcopal Church of the Holy Comforter here, as chaplain at the United States Military Academy at West Point for a four-year term, effective June 7.

The minister, who will serve in a civilian status, was advised of his appointment today in a letter from Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson. He has resigned as rector of the Richmond Church as of May 15.

Civitan Club of Frederick Organizes

Keefer Photo

DISPLAY THEIR COLORS—More than 300 members and guests from Maryland, Virginia and Washington attended the charter night ceremonies held recently by the Civitan Club of Frederick, Md. The club, which has 45 charter members, was sponsored by the Civitan Club of Bethesda, Md.

J. A. Graham, Educator, Dies In Lexington

Lexington, Va., May 9 (AP).—John Alexander Graham, 52, a native of Lexington and professor of romance languages and fine arts at Washington and Lee University, died at Jackson Memorial Hospital here today after a brief illness.

Funeral services will be conducted at the graveside in Lexington Presbyterian Cemetery at 5:30 p. m. Saturday by Dr. J. J. Murray, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, assisted by Dr. J. E. Bethea, rector of the R. E. Lee Memorial Episcopal Church.

Graham, a direct descendant of Edward Graham, trustee and professor of mathematics of Washington College shortly after the name of the institution was changed from Liberty Hall Academy, was of a line closely associated with the history of Washington and Lee.

One of his forebears, the Rev. William Graham, was the first rector of Liberty Hall Academy in 1782, originally named Augusta Academy and later to become through a succession of name changes a part of the university. Another, Robert Alexander, was founder and principal of Augusta Academy in 1749.

Prominent among Virginia music composers, Professor Graham's published carols, madrigals and folk songs have been played and sung by orchestras and carol groups throughout the country. He directed the first public performance of the troubadors, W. & L. dramatic society, and directed the university glee club for many years.

Graham was born in Lexington on January 15, 1895, the son of Edward Lacy Graham and Louisa Eoff Graham. After attending schools here and St. James School in Maryland, he was graduated from Washington and Lee in 1914 and then went to Richmond to teach romance languages at John Marshall High School.

Leaving Richmond, he did graduate study at Johns Hopkins University and the University of Grenoble, France, where his work was interrupted by service in World War I as an intelligence officer with the AEF. He was in charge of civil affairs for the Army of Occupation in Coblenz, Germany, immediately after the war.

He had no immediate survivors, but is survived by an uncle, Judge Samuel J. Graham of Washington, and four aunts, among them Miss Elizabeth Graham of Lexington.

State's Attorney Awaits Report In Casteel Case

Wise, Va., May 9 (AP).—Commonwealth's Attorney John Roberts of Wise County today awaited a report from State Police on their investigation in the case of Bradley Casteel, World War II veteran who is being held in the Wise jail on "suspicion of murder."

County authorities said no formal charge has been filed in Wise County against Casteel who has told police he killed and buried a Baltimore woman near Appalachia six years ago.

State police brought Casteel here Wednesday after he declined at the last minute to show troopers the place he called "bone hollow," where he asserts he buried "Anne Richardson" after shooting her with an army pistol.

Roberts said he will make a decision as to presenting the case to the grand jury after receiving the report on the State police investigation.

The stocky Army veteran conferred briefly with Attorney Fred B. Greear of Norton who said he had not agreed definitely to represent Casteel and did not plan to talk with the man again unless Casteel should send for him.

Casteel was brought to Wise County from Norfolk where he first told Detective Leon Nowitzky and other officers on Monday that he had slain a Baltimore woman and buried her in this section.

Martinsburg Remains On Standard Time

Martinsburg, W. Va., May 9.—Martinsburg remained on Eastern Standard Time today as a result of failure by any member of the city council to propose a change to daylight saving time. When no motion to change was offered, the council adjourned a special meeting called to consider the move.

In Charles Town the city council, after a lengthy discussion Wednesday night, laid the time issue aside to await the results of a public opinion poll in the community.

Congressional Succession Puzzles Md.

Baltimore, May 9 (AP).—All signs pointed to the Attorney General's office today for a ruling on the question of how Maryland's Third Congressional District will go about nominating candidates for a new Congressman.

Thomas D'Alesandro, a five-term Democratic representative, will quit his seat in the House of Representatives to become Mayor of Baltimore on May 20.

Both the Democratic and Republican Parties must nominate candidates for the Third Congressional seat and certify them to Governor Lane, who will set a date for a special election.

Yesterday, the Democrats were not certain whether the nomination should be made by the State Central Committee, the State Central Committee for Baltimore City, or by the Third District members of the State Central Committee for Baltimore City.

William H. Bishop, secretary of the State Central Committee, referred the matter to Harry T. Gross, the group's attorney. Gross said he probably would call upon the Attorney General to decide the matter.

Among the Democratic possibilities mentioned were Magistrate Edward Garmatz, former City Councilman Samuel Friedel, Councilman Simon P. Jarosinski and former Representative Vincent Palmisano.

Board Would Offer New Evidence in Patient's Death

Staunton, Va., May 9 (AP).—The State hospital board has decided to request Staunton Commonwealth's Attorney Fitzhugh Elder, jr., to consider new evidence in the death of a patient at Western State Hospital here.

The board's action was taken at its monthly meeting here yesterday, but there was no statement concerning the nature of the evidence Elder will be given in the death of Daniel Struder, a patient who died recently at the hospital.

Struder died under circumstances which indicated that he may have suffered abuse and an attendant at the hospital subsequently was discharged. An autopsy in the case and findings of the coroner revealed no connection between the patient's death and any mistreatment and he was found to have died from natural causes.

Union Leader's Death HeldMurder By Coroner's Jury

A coroner's jury yesterday ruled as murder "by party or parties unknown" the violent death of James E. Harris, 40-year-old union official, discovered slain in his bed the morning of April 28.

Dr. Richard M. Rosenberg, deputy coroner, testified that Harris was killed by an instrument like a meatcleaver, hatchet, or ax. Assistant District Attorney Arthur McLaughlin questioned witnesses sharply concerning an ax missing from the Harris cellar.

Harris was a business agent of the Cafeteria and Restaurant Workers Union (CIO), in charge of the picket line around O'Donnell's Sea Grill, 1209 E st. nw. Harris lived at 3120 30th st. nw.

Culpeper Man Gets Engineering Post

E. H. Orange, former highway survey head at Culpeper, Va., has been appointed assistant resident highway engineer at Fairfax, the Virginia State Highway Department announced yesterday.

Orange will succeed L. R. Treat, jr., who was shifted last month to Wise County, where he was promoted to resident engineer. A native of Chase City, Va., Orange has been with the highway department since 1929.

Treasurer to Close Office on Saturdays

John Locke Green, Arlington County treasurer, said yesterday he will close his office on Saturdays, all day, effective May 31.

Already in effect in county offices of the Arlington Courthouse is a five-day-week from Monday through Friday.

Green is the firset State official to inaugurate the policy of closing on Saturdays.

Fish Poachers Increasing, Official Says

Annapolis, Md., May 10 (AP).—Capt. Amos Creighton, head of the Maryland Tidewater Fisheries Enforcement fleet, reported today that with the end of the oyster season, fish poachers are becoming a problem in state waters.

Fishermen working illegally at night with power winders on seines are giving the enforcement officers trouble, with violations especially notable in Tangier Sound, around Tilghman's Island, and in the Choptank River.

"It is particularly difficult to catch these violators working at night," Creighton said. "We have boats out on night patrols and men stationed on shore to watch for violators, but with our limited rigs, we haven't been able to meet the requirements."

He said the fish poachers were taking hardheads in particular, which had given rise to criticism among some law-abiding fishermen on the eastern shore.

Creighton explained that while the law allows fishermen to pay out their seines with power winders, it does not permit the seines to be hauled in except by hand as a conservation measure.

"The trouble is that a fisherman may be taking in his seine with a power winder and when an enforcement boats comes along, he hand, which is perfectly legal," he turns it off and starts hauling by said.

Two or three arrests had been made in the Somerset area this week, Creighton said, but he had no complete reports from his enforcement officials.

He said that the violations were not nearly so numerous as those during the oyster season, but were more difficult to detect. He added he doubted the poachers were taking more than a few shad.

Appeals Docketed In Fredericksburg Bank Convictions

Richmond, Va., May 9 (AP).—The appeals of three of nine persons convicted in Federal District Court here last month of aiding in misapplication of funds of the Farmers & Merchants State Bank of Fredericksburg, were docketed today in the United States Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals.

These were the appeals of Hugh N. Rakes, Leesburg dairyman; his wife, Mrs. Lillian C. Rakes, and Harry Lamson, Washington real estate dealer.

Clerk Claude M. Dean said the cases were docketed upon payment of a $25 fee by the appellants, but said no date has been set for argument of the cases.

Notice of appeal was filed by eight of the nine persons convicted but fees have not been received from Delegate Joseph E. Proffit, president of the Floyd County Bank; Kyle M. Weeks, Proffit's law partner; Clarence L. Robey, president of the Purcellville National Bank, or D. E. Nelson, Roanoke real estate man.

Paul Karsten, jr., former vice president of the Fredericksburg Bank, was given a probationary sentence and did not appeal his conviction.

Judge Assails Treatment of Arrested Boys

Baltimore, May 9 (AP).—Judge Charles E. Moylan of the Baltimore supreme bench today forwarded to Police Commissioner Hamilton R. Atkinson a complaint that city policemen mistreated two 14-year-old Negro boys after arresting them on charges of trying to break into a store.

"These are 14-year-old children," the judge said in his communication to the police commissioner. "The police admit there was no struggle. This is a case of not using brains but using brute force and night sticks instead.

"We don't expect to have to put up with cruelty cropping up on the Baltimore police force."

Judge Moylan had ordered the boys committed to Cheltenham training school when he noticed the boy's forehead was split open and the other had a bruise and a skin break on the side of his scalp.

They had made no complaint during the hearing, but the judge called them back for questioning. They said they had been beaten by officers after the arrest.

Cosner Death Scene Recalled By Witnesses

Keyser, W .Va., Map 9 (AP).—First witnesses in the murder trial of Oscar Cosner today related for the jury two stories they said the 36-year-old Keyser postman told them immediately after his wife was found dead in the Cosners' blood-strewn bedroom last September 3.

Corpl. R. R. Karickhoff, West Virginia State policeman who was one of the first on the scene, said Cosner told him there:

"I did it for the children. Because of her condition, I got a baseball bat and struck her in the head."

Dr. T. T. Huffman, who testified he arrived about 5 a. m. after being called by neighbors, said he found Cosner sitting on the edge of a bed alongside his wife's body, his head in his hands.

He said his wife fell down the cellar steps," Dr. Huffman testi-"fied. He told me, 'We brought her up here to the bed."

Dr. Huffman said Cosner did not explain who he meant by "we." Mineral County Prosecutor Vernon E. Rankin contended in his opening statement yesterday the State would show Cosner woke two of his three boys, aged 5 to 13, and had them help him bring the body back upstairs after first carrying it to the cellar.

The physician, summoned by neighbors after one of the Cosner boys ran next door and cried, "mommy's hurt," said he found her head covered with blood and that she had a fractured skull, extensive scalp lacerations over both eyes, bruises under the skin and some damaged brain tissue.

He said the bedroom walls and floor were splashed with blood.

Dr. H. G. Shores, Corner's chief defense counsel, asked Dr. Huffman if there appeared to have been a souffle.

"Yes," he replied, "she must ave been awake at the time."

D. Huff summoned Corpl. Karickhoff, who said he arrived about half an hour later.

Entering the bedroom, the trooper testified, he found a large wooden splinter. For the jury's benefit, he fitted it into a broken toy baseball bat which is part of the state's evidence.

"There was blood all over the house," the trooper said "It was on the kitchen floor, the cellar steps, and the basement floor."

Shores told the jury in his opening statement the defense would show the Cosners had numerous domestic quarrels since 1944 and that on the night of the slaying Cosner accused his wife of having been out with Vincent Lacy.

When she returned about 1 a. m., Shores said, they had a bitter argument and Mrs. Cosner told her husband she had been out with Lacy, had relations with him, and intended to get a divorce.

Jackson Elected Manager of Gazette Press

Annapolis, Md., May 9 (AP).—Comdr. Elmer M. Jackson, jr., was elected today vice president and general manager of the Capital-Gazette Press, Inc., succeeding Frank L. McShane, who resigned.

Talbot T. Speer, owner and publisher, announced Jackson's election after a meeting of the board of directors today.

Speer said McShane had resigned because of ill health, and that the resignation was accepted with regret.

McShane served as vice president and general manager for eight years of the corporation which publishes the Evening Capital, the Maryland Gazette and the U. S. Coast Guard Magazine.

Arnold Bus Firm Discontinues 12th Street Stand

Effective today the Arnold Bus Co. will discontinue its stand at 12th st. and Pennsylvania ave. nw.

The new policy will not inconvenience patrons in the morning, officials said, as buses will proceed up 14th st. to E st., then to Pennsylvania ave., and passengers will be discharged at 13½ st. and Pennsylvania ave., 12th and Pennsylvania ave. and 10th st. and Pennsylvania ave.

In the afternoon, however, it will be necessary for Virginia commuters to board buses on 9th st., between Pennsylvania ave. and Constitution ave., the entire block next to the Federal Bureau of Investigation, where "improved facilities" will better handle the afternoon rush of passengers.

Virginia News

Commercial Use for Peanut Shells Reported by Dr. Vilbrandt, VPI Chemist

Charlottesville, Va., May 9 (AP).—A new and commercially valuable use for the thousands of tons of peanut hulls now thrown away or used as fuel by the processing plants was reported to the Virginia Academy of Science today.

The hulls may be converted into activated char, widely employed in industry and agriculture as a filtering or distributing agent, said Dr. Frank C. Vilbrandt, head of the Department of Chemical Engineering at Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

Char—the powdered form of charcoal—is widely used for removing odors in water filtration systems and is utilized by plant food manufacturers to give a better spread to the inoculant—a growth harmone for example.

Char in pellet form was used in wartime gasmasks.

The thing about the peanut hull char, Dr. Vilbrandt explained, is that it is simple and inexpensive to produce yet it gives results equivalent to the generally used more expensive kinds made from cocoanut shells or other dense woods. Also, it can be produced using substantially lower temperature and in less time.

Dr. Vilbrandt said that he and an associate, Stephen Gano, have produced the high quality product in from one to four hours at temperatures between 300 and 500 degrees centigrade and then have given it a chemical treatment to activate it in from two to four hours at temperatures slightly higher.

The commercial possibilities were seen as particularly good because of the simplicity and economy of the method. After dry heat burns away the body of the hulls the powder that remains—representing thousands of miniature filters—are then made potent by giving them a chemical coat of a substance such as ammonium phosphate.

Reporting to the psychology section of the academy, Dr. A. W. Hurd, of the Medical College of Virginia, said that IQ tests given medical students as possible forecasters of their success in school don't seem to mean very much.

"It is becoming clearer that one reason for unreliable prediction resides in invalid and unreliable grades given by instructors," he said. "We cannot hope for valid and reliable prediction when the thing we are predicting is itself unreliable, invalid or illy-defined."

Dr. Hurd said that in one class in the school of nursing at the medical college, a group of students who had dropped out were found to have about the same average IQ and psychological aptitude as those who remained in school and succeeded.

The Virginia academy, meeting at the University of Virginia in its twenty-fifth annual session, approved a committee recommendation to meet next year at Virginia Tech during the second weekend in May.

Realty Assessments

Fredericksburg, Va., May 9.—Cecil L. Reid, chairman of the board of equalization, said today that more than 1000 requests have been filed for adjustment of real estate assessments. A reassessment of property was recently completed here.

Hearings will be held at 9 a. m. Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in the Courthouse, Reid said, and others will be scheduled later.

Progress Resumes

Charlottesville, Va., May 9 (AP). The Charlottesville Daily Progress, which on March 21 announced suspension of its Saturday edition because of a shortage of newsprint, will resume its Saturday edition tomorrow with a tabloid issue that will carry no advertising.

The Daily Progress used the tabloid format for about one year during the war to conserve newsprint.

Prosperity Foreseen

Natural Bridge, Va., May 9 (AP). Speaking here at the closing session of the celebration heralding the completion of the James Lees and Sons new yarn mill at Glascow, Merrill A. Watson, of New York, president of the Carpet Institute of America, predicted a long period of prosperity ahead after "some adjustment in prices are made during the current period of mild recession just entered."

"American industry generally must sell about twice as much in dollars during the post-war period as it did before the war if it is to keep our vastly expanded industrial capacity in operation," the speaker related.

Student Made Editor

Charlottesville, Va., May 9.—J. Thomas Priddy, jr., of Richmond, Va., has been elected editor-in-chief of the University of Virginia yearbook of 1948. He will succeed T. Evans Wyckoff of Washington, D. C., editor of the current book which will be released the latter part of May.

CIO Not Communistic

Norfolk, Va., May 9 (AP).—The Congress of Industrial Organizations must not merely protest it is not communistic but must prove it is not, Ban Segal, Virginia education director for the Textile Workers Union of America asserted today.

Unions can prove their real reason for being through community service, he told the annual convention of the Virginia State industrial Union Council (CIO).

VMI Map Service

Richmond, Va., May 9 (AP).—Virginia towns undertaking community planning activities will have assistance in the map-making phase of the work this summer from cadets at Virginia Military Institute.

Announcement has been made by the State planning board that two or three survey teams composed of VMI cadets will be available for map-making work during the summer vacation months.

B. E. Morriss, of the planning board staff, said the crews will be available on the first-come-first-served basis for towns requiring their services and he said the work must be compensated for on a "moderate salary" scale and that the students either must be granted living expenses or guaranteed living quarters.

Health Unit Approved

Winchester, Va., May 9.—The Winchester Council has gone on record approving a health unit for the city with the understanding that the necessary appropriation will be made when the personnel is available to operate the unit. The resolution offered by Dr. W. P. McGuire, chairman of the sanitary committee, and unanimously approved by the council membership, has been forwarded to the State Health Department.

Reserves Activated

Fredericksburg, Va., May 9.—The Fredericksburg District of the 223d Organized Reserve Composite Group was activated last night in a ceremony at the community center. The district covers 12 counties. It will be headed by Lieut. Col. Albert W. Coates. Future meetings will be held the first Monday in each month.

Capt. Steve Burcin of Richmond, spoke at the meeting last night on plans for the formation of provisional units, and active and inactive duty training.

Caroline Candidates

Fredericksburg, Va., May 9.—Bernard Mahon, Commonwealth's attorney of Caroline County since 1932, and A. B. Driver, a member of the Board of Supervisors, have announced their candidacy for reelection. Driver is the representative of Madison District.

Leesburg Church Tea

Leesburg, Va., May 9.—Section B of St. James' Episcopal Church here will hold its annual May tea tomorrow at 4 p. m. in the garden at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. J. Armistead Welbourn here. Mrs. Jones Lawson and Mrs. Festus Foster are co-chairmen of the program.

Rural Life Institute

Fredericksburg, Va., May 9 (AP). The first of a series of six rural life institutes to be held in Virginia will open at Bowling Green Methodist Church tomorrow at 10 a. m. The speakers will include W. W. Eure, agricultural extension rural sociologist; J. W. Sells, extension secretary for the Southeastern Jurisdiction of the Methodist Church, and the Rev. H. L. Robinson, executive secretary of the Virginia Council of Churches.

Fire Destroys Home

Berryville, Va., May 9 (AP).—Fire early yesterday morning destroyed a 10-room frame dwelling owned by Mrs. Dorothy M. Simpson of White Post. No one was home at the time and the alarm was turned in by a neighbor, but firemen arrived too late to save any of the contents. The owner said today the loss was partially covered by insurance.

Mother's Day Concert

Leesburg, Va., May 9.—A concert in honor of Mother's Day will be presented at the Leesburg Methodist Church Sunday night at 8 o'clock. The service is sponsored by the Presbyterian, Episcopalian, Baptist and Methodist Churches whose choirs will render selections. The junior choirs of the Methodist and Baptist Churches will also participate in the program.

Student Honored

Winchester, Va., May 9.—Miss Betty Cather, Handley High School senior and winner of the Virginia American Legion essay contest, was honored at the May meeting of the Conrad-Hoover Post, this week. Miss Cather was presented with the $500 State scholarship award plus two $25 Savings Bonds and a bronze medal won during the competition.

Norfolk Cement Strike

Norfolk, Va., May 9 (AP).— Production operations of the Norfolk plant of the Lone Star Cement Corp. have been halted by a strike of approximately 200 union employes which an official of Local 191 attributed to a disagreement over a new contract.

The contract between Local 191 and the Lone Star Corp. expired February 10, the union spokesman said, and during contract negotiations had been extended. He said the workers wanted the old contract to be renewed, but that company officials wanted a new contract under which there was a disagreement as to working conditions.

Gonorrhea Cure In Single Dose, Reported Found

Charlottesville, Va., May 9 (AP). Success in the search for the ultimate in a cure for gonorrhea—a single dose of pills—was reported to the Virginia Academy of Science today.

The curative drug is penicillin but with the addition of a "rather amazing" new chemical compound which makes the penicillin stay put in the blood stream long enough to do the job, said Dr. Samuel A. Vest, head of the urology department at the University of Virginia.

Heretofore, the kidneys dissipated the penicillin in short order and repeat doses were necessary.

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Greener Pastures

Representative Tommy D'Alesandro of Maryland—a very well-known character in Washington because of his activities in the District of Columbia Committee of which he was for some time chairman—is soon to leave us. Mr. D'Alesandro has been elected Mayor of his native Baltimore by a satisfying majority. In a statement shortly after his election, Mr. D'Alesandro promised that there would be many improvements in administration of that city, which, to put it politely, is in some need of improvements.

The statement interested us because we remembered that Mr. D'Alesandro made a rather similar statement nine or ten years ago when he was first appointed to the District Committee. We have been looking back through the files to find exactly what were the improvements that Mr. D'Alesandro had envisaged for Washington. We find that they were:

(1) Votes for Washingtonians and direct representation of the District in Congress.

(2) A subway to alleviate traffic congestion and to speed Government employes to and from their suburban homes.

(3) A superhighway between Baltimore and Washington, to do the same for Mr. D'Alesandro and others.

Oh, well! We are obliged to admit that Mr. D'Alesandro did his conscientious best for us, and that it was certainly not his fault that his plans for us didn't work out the way hoped. After all Mr. D'Alesandro was only one man, and the District Committee of the House of Representatives is only one element in the irrational governmental organization of the District. And then, of course, there was the war. Maybe he will have better luck in Baltimore. There, it seems, he will go into office with a City Council comprised exclusively of sound Democrats like himself, and a good working majority of them adherents of his own particular faction, which sounds like an admirable arrangement for a Mayor whose main purpose is to get things done. We wish him every success.

Starving Britain

Dr. Franklin Bicknell, member of the Royal College of Physicians and a noted nutritionist, has made the categorical charge in a reputable medical journal that Britain as a nation is slowly dying of starvation. His statement, which the doctor himself says he worded "flamboyantly" in order to capture attention, was immediately challenged by the Labor government's Minister of Food, Mr. John Strachey. But Mr. Strachey reminds us of his wartime predecessor, Lord Woolton. Lord Woolton and other leaders in England used to take pride in the betterment of Britain's health as the result of the fair distribution of food. Certainly the food administration was excellent, but the administrators were engaged in distributing scarcity, instead of plenty. This was how we viewed the situation when we looked into it after a visit to England in 1945.

Another misconception is that the nation's health has been maintained and even improved by the superb wartime administration of poor rations. No doctor we talked to agreed. In the most essential foodstuffs containing animal protein and fats the British are consuming less than one half of what they did in 1939. This is not enough to enable the people to stay in good health, let alone work efficiently. Nor is it enough to maintain their resistance against infection. Malnutrition may account in some part for the mental depression of the British people.

What has happened in the meantime appears to have justified this conclusion. Of course, the malnutrition problem is nothing new in England, where the low-income brackets, in spite of the greatness and the prosperity of Britain, always have been underfed. But it has been gradually worsening and extending under the impact of the exertions and trials of warmaking. Nor does there seem any prospect of alleviation; rather the reverse, as a result in part of the disastrous weather last winter. One of the ironies of these postwar days is that victorious Britain is now, as Dr. Bicknell said, the "worst-fed nation in western Europe, including Germany." He is doubtless taking into account black-market supplies in continental Europe which make caloric evaluations in a number of cases dubious. As a generalization the doctor's flat assertion may be "flamboyance," but there are some specific grounds for it, as, for instance, in the fact that the miners of the Ruhr fare better than the miners of Britain. Yet the British are helping to feed the Germans, in the absence of food shipments that under the Potsdam agreement were supposed to come from the Soviet zone of Germany. The great problem in England apparently remains what we ourselves said in 1945, viz, low vitality.

Muffle And Muzzle

In the war years the OWI did not make enough use of the corps of foreign newspaper correspondents in America. Here were men eager to relay to their newspapers abroad data about America which the OWI was authorized to disseminate. It was vital to employ their services to the maximum. For an item sent abroad by a correspondent here had an overwhelming advantage over the same item officially carried abroad. It cost us nothing, and it packed a thousand times more weight and plausibility. The appreciation of this that was lacking in the war is also lacking in the peace. In the present case all correspondents, domestic as well as foreign, are finding doors closed to them in the State Department, and officials with lips sealed by order. The order is a Security Handbook of recent vintage.

This handbook has one purpose and is in fact accomplishing another. It is an effort, presumably, to plug leaks to commentators, but what it does is to block avenues of information to reporters; and to harass them in their quest for legitimate news. The consequence is twofold. The American public is deprived of information which is necessary to the formulation of informed opinion. And the foreigner does not get the full rendering of the voice and doings of America which we wish to advertise everywhere in connection with the prosecution of our foreign policy. These results should have been expected by anybody with imagination. The Security Handbook is full of such warnings and admonitions that it hangs like a sword of Damocles over the heads of State Department officials. Naturally they are not going to risk their necks by giving out anything that is not officially released.

Our chief newspapers assign a man exclusively to the State Department "beat." But the Security Handbook now makes any fraternization between officials and reporters an occupational hazard for the latter. The official is warned not only to keep a bridle on his tongue; he is actually told to be on guard against strangers within the gates, meaning in that context newspapermen. For if he is not on the lookout, he may let fall some morsel of news which would endanger the national security. "Many of these people," says the handbook "representing commercial interests *or the press*, nationals of this country or another, are keen-eyed observers, quick to pick up and retain scraps of information." (Our italics.)

The picture is conjured up of officials hurrying through the corridors, eyes half-closed so that they cannot look to right or to left, with their lips as well as their coats buttoned, till they get back to the *sanctum sanctorum*. Actually the situation has not yet arrived at this pass. But since the advent of Secretary Marshall, the officials have been trying zealously to live up to the recommended pattern of behavior. Mr. Marshall is a model of discretion and formality, a man who has brought with him to the department the sense of and insistence upon discipline which he had in the war years as Chief of Staff. Naturally, therefore, his example is as compelling as the injunctions of the Security Handbook. The combination is making the working newspapermen feel more or less like a cross between a leper and an enemy.

In fact, the working newspapermen should be regarded as copartners in the execution of our foreign policy. And more so now than ever before. An informed opinion at home and the spread of our influence abroad are what we are ostensibly aiming at. The latter purpose underlies the foreign information program under dispute in Congress. Thus the significance that Secretary Marshall attaches to that program stands in strange contrast to the policy of the Security Handbook.

Surely our relations with the Soviet do not warrant the transformation of the State Department into a potential Kremlin. We are trying to pit light against darkness. But light begins at home, and it should be a blinding light upon what we are thinking and doing which will be seen everywhere. Obviously the most effective conveyers by far are the newspapermen—much more effective than official propagandists, though the need and the times call for their services, too. What is printed in this country about diplomatic developments, what is given out to the foreign correspondents—this is carried everywhere as top news in the world's press. The Tass agency, it is said, files about 50,000 words a day from Washington alone. The danger of a leak is a trifle compared with the danger of a gag on news of our activities that is bound to reduce sensibly the news coverage of our diplomacy.

Featherbedding Deluxe

Ten men have just been denied the right to work at the trade of their own choosing in Mineola, Long Island. This abridgment of an elementary freedom, which was upheld in court, was not based on lack of skill or refusal to join a union. It arises solely from the fact that the union in question has a neat little rule restricting new membership to sons of present card-holders. The union thus controls not only the jobs, but also entry into the trade. Because of its closed shop contract with the Newspaper and Mail Deliverers Union of New York, the Rockaway News Co. has been forced to fire the 10 employes who had held temporary jobs. Short of reincarnation, apparently the discharged men now have no recourse.

This situation, which is not confined to one area, is nothing less than a throwback to the medieval guild system. The whole purpose is to create an artificial scarcity of labor. It is the selfish device of a few to perpetuate a sinecure. The harmful effect is two-edged. In barring new blood, this restrictive practice obviously is not in the interest of the majority of workers. The rule also reacts against employers. It tends to make the membership of the union older and hence less efficient, and it increases the cost to employers by making necessary extra overtime.

The spread of featherbedding—made work and synthetic restraints on productivity—is probably second to union bossism among the objectionable features of labor relations today. The Mineola case is an example of one of the basic inconsistencies that confront the Nation. How we can expect to raise our standard of living and keep our economy on an even keel while at the same time fettering our ability to produce is something no labor spokesman has explained. Any broad concept of labor statesmanship, it seems to us, would dictate the elimination of such millstones purely in labor's own long-range interest. It is the unwillingness of unions to cast out this beam from their eye that has been the mainspring of the anticlosed shop laws which are now on the books in 13 States.

Cue For The President

Threats of a presidential veto of the labor bill are getting to be as common as crab grass. President Truman himself is reserving comment, but that seems only to encourage others who claim to know his mind on this subject to repeat the veto threat every time the Senate votes on a labor bill amendment. We hope they are poorly informed, for enactment of labor legislation seems to us the most important task of the present Congress in the entire sphere of domestic affairs.

Talk of a veto seems especially irresponsible when it is connected with such mild provisions as the Taft-Ball-Donnell-Jenner amendment for the control of union welfare funds. In approving this proposal the Senate did not outlaw welfare funds such as that which the Government embodied in its contract with John L. Lewis. It merely required that welfare funds to which employers contribute for the benefit of employes must be jointly administered and that they be operated as genuine trust funds, with definite benefits specified. Union leaders could not divert such funds to purposes of their own without incurring a severe penalty. As an additional safeguard to the individual worker, union dues could not be deducted from his pay by the employer without specific authorization in writing.

We cannot believe that the President would veto the labor bill because it contains fair and sensible provisions of this sort, even though they arouse the hostility of labor-union leaders who would like to have a free hand. The good judgment of the Senate was also manifested in its rejection of the amendment touching industry-wide bargaining. Perhaps some or all of this amendment may go back into the bill in conference because of the drastic nature of the House provision on this subject, but the Senate will be in a much better strategic position, as The Post pointed out before the vote was taken, with all reference to industry-wide bargaining eliminated from its own bill. Yesterday the Senate also defeated by a large vote the harsh Ball amendment to permit use of the injunction by private employers against jurisdictional strikes and secondary boycotts and the indefensible Aiken amendment to give this right to farmers alone. It approved the relatively innocuous Taft amendment permitting private suits for damages growing out of jurisdictional strikes and secondary boycotts.

We think the Senate has given a cue to the President. Apparently its labor bill will pass in much better form than had been generally supposed. We do not indorse all of its provisions—certainly not the section dealing with national emergencies due to strikes—but as between enacting this bill and no labor legislation at all the odds are heavily in favor of the former course. The Senate has thus given the President an opportunity to unite his strength to the Senate's in combating the drastic and undigested labor bill passed by the House. Together they can probably secure enactment of a bill that would correct many abuses in the employer-union relationship and at the same time inaugurate a long-range study as the basis for further legislation.

But in order to take advantage of this opportunity the President will have to play a more active role than he has done to date. A White House conference with congressional leaders could make it plain that compromise on the basis of the Senate bill is possible and that predominance of the sweeping House bill in conference report would lead to a probable stalemate. Legislators who are eager to see labor legislation on the books before they return to face their constituents would be strongly drawn toward such a compromise. We suspect that those who are urging a veto for any bill that Congress may send to the White House and those at the other extreme who wish to make the bill so distatesful that the President will have to veto it are playing a dangerous political game that may bring the wrath of the electorate upon both.

BOY WITH MOUTH ORGAN

A boy and a mouth organ make a pair
with a whoo and a whoo and a whoo-a.
He puffs his cheeks, he hollows his hand,
he rolls his eyes, he taps on the ground
with a whoo and a whoo and a whoo-a.
The mouth organ gambols over his lips.
His fingers dance on the nickel plate,
his tongue flicks over the spaces.
And the joy breaks out, the joy splits loose,
the joy pours out of him like a river.
He rides on a chrome steel locomotive.
He zooms through the air on a luxury liner,
lord of space and the earth below him
with a whoo and a whoo and a whoo-a.

FRED LAPE

"Are You Kidding?"

Letters To The Editor

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District Leadership

As a resident of the metropolitan area that is dependent on the leadership and government of the District for much of its welfare, I would like to express some reactions to recent manifestations of *lack* of District management.

In the six years that I have lived here, it has seemed that principal leadership in District and metropolitan affairs has come from the newspapers. Time after time, and for months on end, we have had occasion to note editorial comment and reporters, follow-ups concerning various deficiencies in civic management affecting the public welfare. Then, finally, after it has seemed that there had been enough prodding by the newspapers to make us all ashamed, some local official announces his observation of one such deficiency, and advisedly indicates his intention of doing something about it. A case in point is *The Post's* recent campaign against erratic parking signs. It is not difficult to recall many other examples.

The District government being what it is, it would seem proper to look to the District Commissioners for considerable more leadership in such matters than has been forthcoming from them. We don't get to hear from, or see much of, the Commissioners, except on the rare occasions when we find them conspicuously sharing our programs to great leaders, war heroes and visiting firemen.

Most recently, we have noted that after this area had already moped through one summer wishing it had daylight saving time, but with no responsible government leadership doing anything about it, an act of Congress finally ordered the Commissioners to move "forthwith" and decide what is to be done "as soon as practicable." To this mandate, the reaction of the Commissioners was to wait before holding hearings, and to make such reported statements as: "There's no use being stampeded," and, "If the people want it—fine. I don't care one way or the other."

In Heaven's name, aren't the Commissioners able to see any responsibility of their own, by assuming some initiative in such issues? Such reactions as this, to matters affecting our welfare, leads us to suggest that the District Commisisoners are more than a little short on leadership of a type that might well be theirs, and which would do much to rescue the District from its present "hour late and dollar short" government.

W. C. C.
Washington.

Pro-Russian Speech

On May 8 we read that Western High School students were permitted to hear a lecture given by a woman four years under surveillance, and that whatever undesirable tendencies the FBI had suspected for that length of time were visible to children at a glance, so that four left the room in protest.

Many mothers join this bewildered citizen in wondering what purpose was accomplished by these four years of surveillance, since the only action was taken by four children who, at that, had no recourse but to walk out of the classroom.

A WOMAN.
Arlington.

Four students display incredibly bad manners toward a guest speaker, undisciplined. The principal grovels in fear as the spotlight is cast on his well-intentioned program of acquainting his students with all aspects of world-wide opinion and methods. Our figa-waving demagogues seize another chance to undermine our democratic system. This is the real story, and one which a responsible newspaper reporter or editor should have been quick to catch.

E. F. J.
Manassas, Va.

District Lottery

On the question of taxation and how to collect enough money to pay the bills, balance the budget and reduce the debt, the Washington Central Labor Union, which represents approximately 150,000, has gone on record in favor of a District lottery. Nationally, the recent convention of the Hotel and Restaurant Employes and Bartenders Union passed a resolution in favor of a national lottery to reduce taxes, reduce the debt, and to balance the budget.

With all of the money now bet locally on numbers, sweepstakes, etc., and the money bet nationally on such chances, it seems that our lawmakers are overlooking one good source of taxation. Horse races, bingo, etc., in most places are legal or overlooked. This virgin source of taxation should be tapped, then persons taking such chances would be sure that they were really getting a run for their money.

CHARLES E. SANDS.
Washington.

"Mr. Truman's Dilemma"

In your editorial of May 6 of "Mr. Truman's Dilemma," it seems to me you omit mention of the third alternative open. Could you not suggest that in the meeting with congressional leaders that you propose, Mr. Truman could make it clear that he does not propose to veto a bill which includes some of the desirable legislation he has proposed? Also that he does not propose to sign and thereby approve some of the highly undesirable measures included in the "omnibus." He has the option of letting the bill become law without signature.

By giving to a conference such as you suggest this fair warning of the third possibility, he would put responsibility for legislation or lack of legislation where it belongs. It seems to me this would be statesmanship and excellent politics.

Congress could then decide its course and either divide the bill into three or four bills, each worthy of consideration on its own merits and subject to approval, veto or passage over a veto. The founding fathers provided for exactly this defense by the executive as against an irresponsible legislature running wild and endeavoring to put a President on the spot, politically, with slight regard for the welfare of the Nation.

Reminding Congress of this possibility—which seems to have been forgotten generally—might, indeed, have a salutary affect on some other of the more objectionable legislation now in the mill for political affect. It is a course of action that is especially appropriate in an era where the executive and legislative branches are controlled by different parties.

JEFFERSONIAN.
Bethesda, Md.

"Arab Case"

Replying to your editorial "Arab Case" of May 2, I should like to point out, first, two errors in point of fact, and, second, two errors of omission.

The errors in fact are: (1) that "Palestine . . . cannot be expected to provide a home for all the Jews who want to flee Europe" and (2) that "There are about 200,000 left." Palestine can and should be expected to provide a home for all the Jews who want to flee Europe. Legally, the Balfour declaration and the Palestine mandate specifically provide for the establishment of Palestine as a Jewish homeland.

Economically, according to the report of Walter Clay Lowdermilk of the United States Department of Agriculture soil conservation service, Palestine is fully able to absorb four million more people. Militarily, the Jewish defense organization, Haganah, is known to be strong enough to protect Jews against any possible Arab outbreaks. Politically, the feudalistic group which dominates the Arab higher committee commands far too little support among the comparatively progressive Arabs of Palestine to constitute a real danger to the program of immigration.

As to the number of Jews left who want to flee Europe, it is true that there are only about 250,000 left in DP camps, but there are hundreds of thousands of others in Romania, Hungary and Poland, who understandably no longer wish to live as defenseless minorities in these still anti-Semitic lands, and who are anxious to go to Palestine.

The errors of omission are: (1) that in bemoaning the impracticability of the Arab request in the UN for a full-dress debate on the Palestine question, you fail to refer to the obvious unfairness of allowing the Arab delegates to use that request as an opportunity for airing the Arab case before UN delegates as well as world opinion, unchallenged by Jewish representatives; and (2) that in referring to the attitude of the British Labor Party, Lord Cecil, and the Anglo-American Committee, you omit reference to the fact that while the United States Government has for years repeated its policy of favoring the establishment of a Jewish National Homeland in Palestine, and, in past months, more and more aggressively, has demanded immediate Jewish immigration to Palestine, it has assumed in the UN a "neutral" attitude which is in direct violation to this so definitely and frequently announced policy.

MISS CELIA WICKS,
Vice President, George Washington Chapter, Intercollegiate Zionist Federation of America.

The editorial "Arab Case" is correctly critical of British violation of its mandate over Palestine. But you subordinate the question of Palestinian status to that of resettlement of Jews who no longer have a haven to lay their weary heads.

Immigration allocations among the nations is no solution—nor is it a good stop-gap. The only practicable solution is the establishment of a Jewish homeland in Palestine—as promised. For this avowed purpose, and with strong American support, the league gave Britain the mandate. Palestine constituted only 1 per cent of Arab lands freed from the Turks. Even Arab approval had been won for the establishment there of the Jewish homeland.

Since Britain has repeatedly violated the mandate, it behooves the UN to now undertake its fulfillment. In this tiny territory whittled down now to a mere 10,000 square miles, the Jews pin all their hopes. The peace of the world may yet be found to depend upon this solution.

Stateless, the Jews, in contrast to the five Arab states, are not even represented at UN. The Jewish Agency must be heard; the Jews themselves given a chance of at least presenting their case.

NED ADELSOHN.
Falls Church, Va.

More Gadgets, Same People

By Malvina Lindsay

Path of Science

MACHINES seem destined to hold their advance over human beings from the way American science is heading. The National Science Foundation bill, on which the Senate is slated to act soon, contains no provision for aid to the social sciences. If passed, it will mean that officially Americans are going to continue their pursuit of bigger and better gadgets and weapons, but do nothing toward making themselves masters of these.

Many national leaders, who see grave social and human problems developing, are greatly disturbed over this. So are social scientists generally, and indeed many physical scientists. Most of the Inter-Society Committee on Science Foundation Legislation, comprising both types of this country's most distinguished scientists, opposed limiting the legislation to the physical side of science.

However, other physical scientists raised the traditional objection to social scientists as "inexact." Some legislators decided social science might be risky politically, and that anyway "you can't change human nature." Hence the Thomas bill, including the social sciences, was turned down in Senate committee for the Smith bill that left them out.

STRANGELY this has happened at a time of a surge of interest in human relations. Committees and study groups on education, labor, war, peace are constantly coming up with reports to show that most public problems go back basically to people's emotional difficulties and their haphazard techniques of dealing with each other.

To meet these problems, research is needed, just as it is needed to conquer cancer, improve diet, make transportation faster and living more comfortable. Three fields calling especially for such research are management-labor relations, race adjustments and education for peace.

More and more it is recognized how much industrial peace depends on human factors. The Twentieth Century Fund, in its report of a study on America's future, points out that industrial productivity, which it calls the "key to our future," depends primarily on human relations in industry. The report says the Nation has spent billions on research in physical sciences and been "well repaid in technological progress," but has done little to develop the sciences that deal with man himself, and that might guide the way to industrial peace. Many other students of industrial conflict think its basic problem is more one of human understanding than wage scales.

Race tensions are now being heightened by population shifts, tightening employment, lack of housing. The situation calls for more than social legislation. It challenges social science research, especially as to what preventive measures can be taken through children.

THE WHOLE problem of peace—labor, race, international—goes back to the child, whose earliest experiences often determine his future relationships. Psychologists emphasize that the only way peace can be attained is to develop more socially adjusted and emotionally mature people. Frustrated, insecure malcontents are the real warmakers (as Hitler and Mussolini should have taught us) rather than boundaries, treaties, international injustices. To develop people capable of assuming the responsibilities for peace, calls for a big, daring attack by social science.

Psychologists say peace groups have failed—as well as have diplomats and legislators—in preventing war because they have not understood the basic nature of war, or used the scientific knowledge of human beings available. They have assumed that everything but man was malleable. Yet human nature is changed by many things—glandular functioning, diet, physical and emotional environment, education, religious experience. To fail now to direct national resources toward changing it for the better—while bombs are being improved—seems to many persons like something out of Alice in Wonderland.

Humor To The Rescue

I note that the President is hesitating to send his message on the Federal employe loyalty program to Congress because the cost, estimated at 40 million dollars, is too high. I have a plan whereby much of this cost may be eliminated. My experience with these Soviet sympathizers and apologists in the Federal service leads me to believe that the best remedy for their ailment is hearty laughter. Nothing discommodes one of these brainless crackpots so much as a loud guffaw right in the midst of one of their labored attempts to explain away Soviet sins.

I tried it the other evening. One of them demanded to know what proof we had that Tito was a Soviet pawn. I started laughing.

I recommend the remedy on all occasions. Let audiences howl with mirth at some of Wallace's naive pronouncements and we won't be bothered with him any more. It won't be the first time America's sense of humor has saved the day.

REALIST.
Washington.

Thanks to Truman

We Americans owe President Truman a huge debt of thanks for, first, choosing Gen. George Marshall for Secretary of State before the important Moscow conference, and second, for changing the name of Boulder Dam back to its original name, Hoover Dam.

SUBSCRIBER.
Alexandria.

Today And Tomorrow

By Walter Lippmann

On Borrowed Time

WHAT MR. ACHESON said in his address before the Delta Council about Germany and Japan was incidental and subordinate to his main theme: that in the next few months, certainly within 12 months, the United States will have to re-establish in some form or other lend lease at the rate of not less than five billions annually for several years to come. Mr. Acheson did not put it so bluntly, feeling constrained no doubt by the political habits of Washington, which demand that the people be treated gingerly and as not adult enough for the whole truth all at once, and that it is less painful to cut off the dog's tail by inches.

Lippmann

Mr. Acheson did, nevertheless, manage to indicate the scope of the whole problem which will have to be met if a catastrophic collapse of the European standard of life is to be averted, and if America is not to become isolated in an angry world, and itself the sufferer of a chronic depression. The Administration will never regret that it commissioned Mr. Acheson to make this speech. The warning signals have been raised while there is still time to avert a collapse. If the measures which it calls for are taken, they may carry the world over the hump of danger and into a time of reconstruction and of peace.

THAT A WORLD crisis is developing, which will come to its climax not later than the latter part of 1948, is one of those predictions which only a miracle—that cannot happen—could confound. The world is now drawing goods from the United States at the rate of 16 billions annually. A very small part of these goods may be luxuries and comforts which could be dispensed with. Practically all of this huge export consists of commodities which are absolutely necessary to sustain an exceedingly low standard of life abroad. They are not really sufficient to maintain more than a bare subsistence level of existence for the masses of the people abroad. Without them there would be actual famine, not merely malnutrition as there is today, and social anarchy in many parts of the world.

Half of these exports the foreign countries are able to pay for with goods and services they have worked to produce. The other half—about eight billions—are not being paid for now out of their earnings. A little over one billion they are paying for out of their dwindling reserves of dollars and gold. Another two billions or thereabouts are being covered by remittances of Americans to friends and relatives abroad and by private investments abroad. The remainder—above five billions—is coming out of funds provided by the United States Government—in direct relief, through credits of the Export-Import Bank, through the Bretton Woods institutions, and the British loan.

THERE WILL still be available under authorizations and commitments already made by the United States Government about 4.5 billions for 1948. But the world need for American exports cannot diminish in 1948. The losses this year from the terrible weather in Europe mean that there is no possibility of the need diminishing until there have been two good harvests. The financial resources of Europe are, however, declining: the small reserves of gold and dollars are nearly used up: and cannot be replenished.

Therefore, it is—one may say—a mathematical certainty that in the second half of 1948—as American Government loans and grants-in-aid are used up—that a crisis of famine and unemployment will develop. No means will exist—unless the United States Government appropriates new money—to pay for the American exports that the world cannot do without.

AS A MATTER of fact, the social and political crisis will develop before the last dollar has been used up. None of the great governments involved—the British and the French particularly—can wait until the day when—on the mathematical calculation—the crisis actually exists. They must anticipate it as the British did this winter in their withdrawal from Greece and Turkey. If we wait with our measure until their dollars are exhausted, they will have to take radical measures at home and abroad before all their dollars are exhausted.

There is, therefore, not much time left in which to plan the policy and prepare the measures that the situation, outlined by Mr. Acheson, will unavoidably require.

THE ADMINISTRATION will do well to address itself to the adult and informed population of the United States, and to assume that the American people would rather hear the truth than be jazzed up and needled by rhetoric, and that they will do their duty when they are presented with a well prepared plan for discharging their duty.

"The Administration," says Mr. Reston in what I am sure is a true report, "is not happy about the emotional response here and abroad to the military and ideological aspects of the Truman Doctrine." The emotional response was bound to be bad because the emotional content of the "doctrine" was not enlightening but inflammatory. In the immense task, which lies ahead, of devising adequate measures in time to pacify and reconstruct the civilized world, the rhetoric of the Truman message is something to be avoided. The tone and temper of the Marshall, Dulles, and Acheson speeches are something to be adhered to.

Off The Record

By Ed Reed

"Please, Hercules, I need some money!"

Washington Calling

By Marquis Childs

Struggle For Food

DIVIDING THE available supply of food by the world's hunger, you still come out with a deficit. Food officials are working out that painful arithmetic for the third quarter of this year.

Childs

It's a grim business. The list of countries—and it's a long one—is checked and rechecked over and over again. The demands and the entreaties are balanced against crop predictions and weather reports.

Running a pencil down that list, you come to Germany—the British and United States zones. The two zones are put down for one million tons of wheat and corn for July, August and September. This will cost an estimated 75 million dollars. Just below Germany is Japan, which is down for 500,000 tons of grain.

Both figures are pared to a minimum, reduced to bare necessity. They mean, particularly in Germany, a dietary level dangerously low. They mean the constant threat of political disorder, disease and epidemic.

If this was to be the last allocation for Germany, our top policymakers would feel that the millennium had arrived. It is what stretches ahead in the distant future that has them worried. They know there is a definite limit beyond which the American people will not continue to pay for the deficit in divided Germany. This realization was behind much of the maneuvering at the recent Moscow Conference.

The Russians are hoping to wait us out and then take over all of Germany for communism. Secretary of State George C. Marshall worked at Moscow to get a higher industrial level for Western Germany through cooperation with France and Britain. He had somewhat more success in this direction than he indicated in his report to the Nation.

finity of time out of the American granary and the American treasury.

It is not merely that the Russians have failed to send food from their food-producing zone into the American-British industrial zones. The trouble goes deeper than that. Confidential reports to the State and Agriculture Departments here indicate that the bread basket of Eastern Germany is suffering from the blight of war and collectivization. The volume of food grains now being produced there is hardly sufficient to maintain the local population.

The Russians carried off farm machinery and farm animals. Then they began to break up the big estates and parcel out the land. Whenever this last happens, production is invariably retarded, at least until the peasants can be brought to operate their small holdings on some sort of collective basis. The disintegration in this one rich region is said to be very far advanced.

THERE IS another serious reason why food should be so short in the industrial areas of the western zones. Farmers are keeping back their produce, as Gen. Lucius D. Clay made clear in his last monthly report. They can get little or nothing in exchange for what they grow, and so they hoard it.

The dietary level on German farms in the British and United States zones is said to be as high as in the United States. General Clay has suggested that occupation troops might be able to compel farmers to market their crops. But this is bound to be difficult. Through centuries of disaster the European peasant has learned to conceal his food with the tenacity of a squirrel. The only real cure is an improvement in the economy.

A confidential report from Japan indicates that the same condition exists there, in even more exaggerated form. Japanese farmers are not bringing their produce to the towns. A food deficit sharpened by the destruction of the war is thus deepened. The situation is so serious, according to this latest report, that it threatens to undermine the American occupation in spite of Gen. Douglas MacArthur's best efforts.

Germany and Japan were once centers of a vast output of goods that entered into the stream of world trade. Until that production is restored in part or until we strike some sort of new balance, we shall be under a constant threat or ever-recurring crises.

DESPITE THE current squabble between the American commander in the American zone and the British commander in the British zone, plans are being developed for greater German output. The hope is to push the level of industrial production at least high enough to restore Germany's production of fertilizer.

Unless this can be done, the bottomless pit of German hunger will have to be filled for an in-

False Economy

By Barnet Nover

Stilling "The Voice Of America"

IN THE COURSE of a week, recently, a not untypical week, the people of Europe and Asia were fed the following "facts" about the United States:

NOVER

That the aim of the United States is to "capture key political and strategic positions in Europe."

That the United States is launching a race in armaments.

That the Turkish army is secretly being run by American and British agents.

That General Marshall, in his recent radio address, did not tell the truth about the Moscow Conference.

AND ALSO: that the United States is making a colony out of the Philippines.

That the income of American workers has declined by 50 per cent and that thousands of American families are "dwelling in old wagons and deserted military billets."

That "American policy in the Far East is one of world conquest."

That the United States is heading directly into a severe depression.

That the presence of American warships in the Mediterranean means that "the United States has decided to resort to threats of violence."

That the great majority of Americans are strongly opposed to the Truman policy with respect to Greece and Turkey.

That American policy in Germany aims to bring about "an imperialist peace based on the enslavement of nations."

THIS IS the picture of America which the people of Europe and Asia got if they listened to radio broadcasts from Russia and Russian-dominated areas in eastern Europe in the course of one week.

It is the picture, with variations, which they have been getting of America over a period of many months. The purpose, obviously, is to denigrate the United States, arouse suspicions as to this country's motives, create fears as to its aims.

Can we afford to be complacent about this anti-American propagandist campaign, sit back and assume that the untruths, half truths and exaggerations will do no harm since *we* know they are so wide of the mark?

THAT SEEMS to be the attitude of a large number in the House of Representatives, judging by the action that has been taken in wiping out the appropriation needed to continue the State Department's overseas information program.

We have spent billions in relief for foreign countries. The House itself has just approved, as the Senate did earlier, an appropriation of 400 million dollars to aid Greece and Turkey.

It is in defiance of all logic and common sense to appropriate that money and at the same time cut out the small appropriation needed to present to the world a true picture of America.

SUCH AN INFORMATION program is needed not merely to combat the vicious anti-American propaganda with which so many ears are being assailed in so many countries of the world. It is even more needed to hold up to the world an undistorted mirror of American events, American thought, American policies.

To some slight extent this essential task is being done by private agencies and individuals. But there is a vast area which private enterprise cannot and does not reach in this battle for men's minds. It is at this point that the Government must step in and do the job that so badly needs being done, a job which, incidentally, the State Department, despite its critics, has done extremely well.

THROUGHOUT the world there is a great hunger for news of America, for facts about our institutions, our history, our culture.

This eagerness to know more about the United States does not primarily arise out of sentimental inclinations toward this country. It is the product of a very intense realization of the vastly important role the United States is playing in world affairs.

If this country does not itself explain what it is doing, it will be done by somebody else and neither to our liking nor to our interest. Indeed, the distorted picture the world would then get of America's role might seriously undermine the great efforts we are making on behalf of the democratic ideal and the peaceful way of life.

The best antidote for the kind of anti-American propaganda which is filling the air waves of Europe and Asia is the simple and unadulterated truth.

To cut off the State Department's information program, including the "Voice of America" broadcasts, would give this country's rivals and enemies a free field. No policy could be more stupid and self-destructive.

The Gallup Poll

8 Out of 10 Church Members Attend at Least Once a Year

By George Gallup

Director American Institute of Public Opinion

Princeton, N. J., May 9.—Eight out of every ten persons who say they belong to a church manage to get to that church at least once every year.

But their record on a quick check of attendance last Sunday would not turn out nearly so encouraging for the clergy and others interested in seeing that more people turn to prayer and worship in church on Sunday.

One such survey made recently by the Gallup Poll asked people who said they belong to a church:

"Did you, yourself, happen to go to church this last Sunday?"

The results:

Yes	45%
No	55

Thus, more than half the people who say they belong to a church stayed away the Sunday before the poll was made.

Women are found in this check to be better churchgoers than men. College people are better than those who did not go beyond high school, or grammar school. People in the middle years—30 to 49—attended in greater proportion than younger adults—21 to 29—or older people—50 and over. Farmers attended in greater proportion than people living in towns and cities.

Here are tables giving these facts:

By Education	Yes	No
College	49%	51%
High school	45	55
Grammar school or less	43	57
Sex	**Yes**	**No**
Men	42%	58%
Women	47	53
Ages	**Yes**	**No**
21-29	42%	58%
30-49	46	54
50 and over	44	56
By Towns		
Farms	49%	51%
Towns under 10,000	42	58
10,000 to 100,000	42	58
Cities over 100,000	46	54

The clergy can take comfort, however, from results of a question asking about attendance at any time during the preceding year:

Following are tables showing the percentages of people who attended and did not attend during the preceding 12-month period:

People Who Say They Are Church Members	Did Attend	Did Not
National	86%	14%
By Education		
College	91%	9%
High school	88	12
Grammar school or less	84	16
Sex		
Men	84%	16%
Women	88	12
Ages		
21-29	89%	11%
30-49	88	12
50 and over	82	18
By Towns		
Farms	87%	13%
Towns under 10,000	85	15
10,000 to 100,000	86	14
Cities over 100,000	88	12

Visitor Don's Still Cedar Rapids

Defore, Wilder, et al Make Capital a Major Outpost for 'Variety'

By Richard L. Coe

MEN ABOUT TOWN:

DON DeFORE, the young leading man who keeps reminding us of Arthur Godfrey before he became a gentleman farmer, scooted through briefly . . . Between taking bows at the Metropolitan's "It Happened on Fifth Avenue," his latest, he halted briefly at the Raleigh for a beverage . . . He's the same sort of pleasant lug he appears on the screen, a Cedar Rapids boy who made good on the Gold Coast . . . He's been on the road taking bows for nearly a month . . . Wanted to get away from Hollywood while his new house was being finished to avoid those endless last-minute waits . . . And to skip making a picture he didn't want to make . . . Will be on "We the People" tomorrow night as a follow-up to an appearance seven years ago by his aunt and uncle . . . These good Iowans have adopted, through the years, nearly 30 youngsters whom they told about on the air . . . At that point Don was just their nephew with the theater bug . . . Now that he's made good he wants to tell more about the aunt and uncle and their adopted youngsters . . . Don's 30, 6-feet-2, and has picked up 15 pounds on his Nation-wide jaunt . . . His pretty wife, Marion Holmes, who used to sing with Art Kassel's band, says he'll work it off on moving into the new house.

Judith Anderson

THORNTON WILDER, who's won two Pulitzer Prizes for drama, is in town . . . If memory slips, they were "Our Town" in '38 and "The Skin of Our Teeth" in '43 . . . He's visiting friends and is too charming to be expressed on what he thinks of this year's Pulitzer winners . . . You may have seen him one night chatting with Elisabeth Bergner after the theater . . . And you'll certainly find him somewhere in the audience at Tuesday night's opening of "Love for Love."

HENRY SENBER, just in from Chicago, among other things to find hotel space for "Lute Song's" cast, has a nice anecdote . . . He was standing in front of the Studebaker when a couple of youngsters stopped to look at the ads for a "coming soon" attraction, "The Iceman Cometh" . . . The young boy pointed to the large-type name of the author . . . "Who the heck," asked he, "is Eugene O'Neill?" . . . "Oh, you know him," replied his girl friend . . . "Sure don't insisted the boy . . . "Don't you remember?" answered the girl. "He's the guy whose daughter married Charlie Chaplin."

THE TUNESMEN, on the Capitol stage, have captured the fancy of audiences and Capitol Manager Gene Ford . . . Found last week playing in a snug Baltimore boite by vacationing Sam Jack Kaufman, the boys put on a novel act, best of which is their four-part interpretation of those radio duz jingles . . . The threesome has a lot of fun with this, particularly when they imitate Fred Waring's 50-member choral group . . . What makes them unique for F st. is that they'll be held over a second week, first time this has been done with a stage act in yars and yars.

JOHN HAMPSHIRE, who stage-managed "The Glass Menagerie" with his wife earlier this season, another visitor . . . They're visiting her father, David Lazaroff, 2228 S st. ne. . . . "Menagerie" has closed its touring but will resume in September . . . With a new Amanda to replace Pauline Lord . . . John says they haven't found one yet, so we offered him our choice for the role created so unforgettably by Laurette Taylor . . . We'd like to see Patricia Collinge in the part . . . Remember her "Birdie" in "The Little Foxes"? . . . How about it, Miss Collinge?

STIANO BRAGGIOTTI, who eats hamburgers after "The Two Mrs. Carrolls" with cast-colleague Rhodelle Heller, shares with Miss H. a consuming passion for astrology . . . They're both very apt at building you up from your birthdate . . . Stiano has the same easy excitement as his sister, Francesca, Mrs. John Davis Lodge . . . Stiano has acted with such theater greats as the Barrymores, Katharine Cornell, Grace George and Eva LaGallienne and puts Elisabeth Bergner in a class by herself . . . A very gentlemanly compliment from the Florentine boy who became a Bostonian.

REGINALD ALLEN, CBS announcer who co-manages the Olney, is in a proper tizzy about the promise of Olney's new summer season . . . Things are rolling along fine at Olney, with several new backstage facilities under way for the opening on Memorial Day . . . This will be a juicy thing indeed, Haila Stoddard playing Elmer Rice's "Dream Girl," which has not been seen in this area . . . Haila played the role in New York after Betty Field had to give it up because of illness . . . The Olney Equity cast is all engaged and soon will be rehearsing full tilt.

WEEKEND BRIEFS: "Cat Concerto," the Academy Award-Winning cartoon, shares the Columbia screen with "The Yearling" . . . "Open City" returns for the first time locally, for a five-day run at the Hiser-Bethesda, starting tomorrow . . . This Italian hit is in its sixty-second week in New York . . . "Peter Pan" is being done tonight at the Whitby Auditorium, Woodley rd. and Wisconsin ave., by the Players Club of the National Cathedral School for Girls. Joan Hatch will be Peter . . . Rene Clair's "The Italian Straw Hat" is the weekend's feature for Community Education, 935 G pl. . . . "The Way of Peace," which was made primarily to be shown during a church service, will do exactly that Sunday night in the Grace Lutheran Church, 16th and Varnum, replacing the sermon by the pastor, Dr. Gerhard E. Lenski . . . Sunday night also brings the Theater Guild's airing of "Macbeth," with Judith Anderson playing the bloodthirsty lady opposite Maurice Evans, Ten o'clock's the hour.

—Leonard Lyons—

Tulip Time on Park

New York, May 9.—Park ave. will become one of the prettiest streets in the world, as the result of a new prettying-up program being arranged by Mayor O'Dwyer and Mary Lasker. At City Hall recently a representative of the Outdoor Cleanliness Drive suggested that funds be raised to plant forsythia along Park ave., from 47th to 96th st.

Helen Hayes

Bob Moses has agreed to maintain the floral designs. O'Dwyer immediately telephoned Frank Sampson, the new leader of Tammany Hall, who agreed to finance the project. "This is a new Tammany," said O'Dwyer. "It puts money into the city" . . . The Park ave. stretch from 34th to 42d st. will be planted with tulips. Mrs. Albert D. Lasker will finance it next year, in celebration of her husband's birthday on May 1.

Nelson Rockefeller, chairman of the Mayor's Business Advisory Committee—a group of 35 civic leaders designated by O'Dwyer last year—has resigned. The committee received none of the promised appropriations, and Mr. Rockefeller felt there was a run-around . . . If and when the movie adaptation of Tennessee Williams' "The Glass Menagerie" is made, Helen Hayes will play the role originated on Broadway by the late Laurette Taylor . . . Edmung Goulding, the director, whose one song—"Mam'selle"—made the Hit Parade, has become a member of ASCAP.

William Harris, the Fortune editor, dined at the home of David Sarnoff recently. A discussion arose about an article in Fortune. "We can settle it easily," Harris suggested. "Let's take a look at the magazine." Host Sarnoff apologetically confessed that he does not subscribe to Fortune, and that there wasn't a single cop of the magazine in his house . . . some time later, Sarnoff dined at Harris' home. At 11 p. m. Sarnoff told the host: "I must listen to the 11 o'clock news program. In which room is there a radio?" . . . Mr. Harris told the head of RCA: "Sorry, but there isn't a single radio in this house."

Louis Fischer is writing a book for Harpers', to be called "Gandhi and Stalin," suggesting a plan for preventing a war with Russia. It will be published in the fall . . . Charles Lederer and his wife, Virginia—who formerly was married to Orson Welles—are coming East, where Lederer will collaborate with Ben Hecht in writing a screenplay. Their beach house, which belongs to Marion Davies, now is being occupied by Welles.

BARNABY
Listen to me, Barnaby. I'm not angry at your father just because he can't buy me a washing machine . . .
And I'm not angry at your imaginary fairy godfather and his imaginary brother.
I'd like to drop the subject. I don't want to hear another word about a washing machine.
You won't from me—
Look! What a happy discovery. A wash board! Let's polish it and present it to your mother. It's sure to take her mind off her recent disappointment, m'boy.

NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY

ELMO

ELMO'S BANK BOOK! SO THAT'S WHERE THE MISSING MONEY IS! MAYBE HE'S A KLEPTOMANIAC!
I'VE GOT TO SAVE HIM FROM HIMSELF
SIGN THIS CHECK, ELMO
SURE, I MIGHT AS WELL GET SENT UP FOR FORGERY TOO
CLOSING OUT ELMO'S ACCOUNT, EH? WHAT HAPPENED TO THE OLD GENT WITH THE MUSTACHE WHO MADE THE DEPOSITS?
COMMODORE BLISTER!
SO THAT'S WHAT'S HAPPENING! I'LL RETURN THE MONEY AND QUEER THE COMMODORE'S FRAME-UP

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WRITE A RHYMING LAST LINE TO THIS JINGLE..YOU MAY WIN ONE OF THE 10 RCA TELEVISION SETS WILKINS TEA IS GIVING AS PRIZES!
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Has never been answered yet..
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WATCH FOR THE GREAT NEWS TOMORROW IN THIS PAPER ABOUT...
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STARTS WEDNESDAY, RKO KEITHS

Chisox Beat Tigers, 2 to 1, Move Back Into Lead

Locke, Vines Post 138's, Worsham 2 Back at 140

Houston, Tex., May 9 (AP).—South American Bobby Locke, Californian Ellsworth Vines and Chilean Herman Keiser posted posted 138's, four under par to deadlock for the 36-hole lead in the $10,000 Houston Open tournament today.

Locke, Vines and Keiser finished strong for the second 18 to overhaul the first round leaders, Washington's Lew Worsham and Jim Ferrier, who had 69's for the fisrt round over the par 36-36—72 layout. Worsham's two-day total was 140.

Locke and Keiser came up with the best rounds of the tournament today when they posted 67's, and both could have bettered that score with a bit of luck. Locke, who comes from Johannesburg, South Africa, has seven one putt greens and 29 strokes on the carpets altogether. He did not have a single five on his card for the second round and ceded 33-34 for the nines.

Keiser, of Akron, Ohio, went out in 31 and back in 36. He blew his chances to take over undisputed command when he hit into the lake on the par 5 seventeenth. He got his par despite the penalty shot, but could have been the leader had he stayed away from the water.

Vines, who hails out of Los Angeles, had some tough luck on the putting surfaces, missing four putts of eight feet and under, but the best of his shots were perfect as he played a 32-36.

Keiser electrified the gallery with a 5 under 32 for the front side but hit two bad tee shots coming in and they cost him the lead.

Suggs, Kirby Win

Atlanta, May 9 (AP).—Medalist Louise Suggs dethroned Mrs. Estelle Lawson Page of Chapel Hill, N. C., as Southern Women's golf champion, today.

The Lithia Springs, Ga., girl defeated Mrs. Page one up in the semifinals of the Southern Women's Championship and will meet Dorothy Kirby of Atlanta in the 36-hole finals tomorrow. Miss Kirby won over Polly Riley of Fort Worth, 2 and 1.

Miss Suggs led Mrs. Page, whom she has defeated in five of their six competitive matches in recent years, two up at the end of the first nine. Miss Kirby led Miss Riley four up at the halfway mark.

Catholic Wins 4th in Row, 8-5

Catholic University's improving baseball team chalked up its fourth straight triumph, after losing its first five games, yesterday at the home field as it downed Johns Hopkins, 8-5, in a Mason-Dixon Conference clash.

The Cards were never behind after scoring two runs in their first time at bat. Obie Riley went the distance for C. U. and was touched for 11 hits while the hosts could collect only 10 safeties off Hopkins' Rembock. Ten errors by the invaders had considerable to do with the Cardinals' victory.

J. Hopkins	AB	H	O	A	C. U.	AB	H	O	A
Koerver,3b	5	1	3	3	Bickel,ss	5	2	4	1
Chambers,cf	4	1	1	0	Zurawel,ss	0	0	2	1
Kinling,rf	4	1	2	0	Walsh,2b	2	0	3	1
Anthony,rf	0	0	0	0	Dare,2b	1	0	0	0
English,1b	3	1	9	0	F'ham,lf	2	2	1	0
Baake,c	3	2	2	3	Cranston,lf	0	0	1	1
Nitrano,ss	2	0	1	1	C'nelly,3b	5	2	1	3
Loy,2b	3	1	2	1	O'C'nel,cf	5	1	2	0
Massel,lf	3	1	2	0	H'lissey,rf	2	1	2	0
McC'nan,lf	1	0	2	0	F'ington,rf	1	0	0	0
Rembock,p	4	2	0	2	S'heimer,1b	3	2	7	1
Disney,ss	0	0	0	0	Cousey,c	0	0	5	0
Ja'bsen,c	0	0	0	0	Potter,c	0	0	0	0
Wford,2b	1	1	0	0	Riley,p	5	0	0	4
Totals	31	11	24	10	Totals	30	10	27	12

Johns Hopkins	100 002 011—8
Catholic U.	231 200 00x—8

Runs—Koerber, Anthony, Baake, Loy (2), Bickel (2), Walsh, Farnham, Connolly, O'Connell, Hallissey, Cousey. Errors—Koerber, Anthony, Nitrano (4), Disney, Loy, Massei, Rembock, Cranston, Connolly (2), Hallissey, Sonnheimer. Two-base hit—Hallissey. Three-base hits—Sonnheimer, Bickel. Double play—Bickel to Walsh to Sonnheimer. Bases on balls—Rembock, 2; Riley, 4. Strikeouts—Rembock, 3; Riley, 3. Umpires—Wyatt and Gichner.

Colonial Village Holds Head-to-Head Tourney

The annual Head-to-Head Duckpin Bowling Tournament will take place tomorrow at the Colonial Village Bowling Alley.

The tournament is an elimination affair, with each match being rolled on a best of seven games basis. Entries will be taken at 7 p. m., with bowling scheduled to start at 7:30 p. m.

Preakness Line-up

Pimlico, Md., May 9 (AP).—Following is the line-up for the fifty-seventh running of the Preakness Stakes, mile and three-sixteenths, $100,000 added, to be run as sixth race tomorrow, with post positions, horses, owners, jockeys and probable odds (all to carry 126 pounds):

PP	Horse	Owner	Jockey	Prob. Odds
1.	On Trust	E. O. Stice	J. Longden	10-1
2.	Faultless	Calumet Farm	D. Dodson	4-1
3.	Riskolater	Circle M Farm	W. Balzaretti	30-1
4.	Bullet Proof	Mrs. M. E. Whitney	W. D. Wright	12-1
5.	Secnav	Mill River Stable	C. McCreary	30-1
6.	Contest	King Ranch	W. Mehrtens	50-1
7.	Jet Pilot	Maine Chance Farm	E. Guerin	2-1
8.	Phalanx	C. V. Whitney	E. Arcaro	2-1
9.	Cosmic Bomb	William Helis	S. Clark	25-1
10.	King Bay	Bernard J. Bax	R. Campbell	30-1
11.	Cornish Knight	E. P. Taylor	No Boy	20-1

(Probable post time 5:10 p. m. Daylight Saving Time.)

Over-Rested Nats Open Here Today With Wynn Facing A's

By Shirley Povich
Post Reporter

Early Wynn, who will be pitching with an eight-day rest, and the Nats, who haven't swung a bat in almost a week after being snowed-in and rained-out since last Sunday, will be reactivated today. They will have as their playmates the somewhat surprising Philadelphia Athletics at Griffith Stadium at 3 p. m.

It will be a collision of a pair of two-game winning streaks. The A's, suddenly hot stuff in the league race, slapped down the White Sox and the Browns in their last two outings, and the Nats in a pair of come-from-behind demonstrations knocked over the Browns and Indians their last times out.

Wynn gets today's pitching job despite the fact that it isn't quite his turn. Both Mickey Haefner and Buck Newsom precede him in the pitching order, but the postponements having thrown the club's schedule out of whack Manager Ossie Bluege is shelving Haefner and Newsom in favor of Wynn.

Winners to Hurl

"Not only that," said Bluege, "but I'm jumping Sid Hudson and Walter Masterson over Newsom and Haefner, too, as long as they're well rested. I'm going with the pitchers who have been winning, as long as I have a choice."

Alarmed at the long idleness of the Nats, Bluege summoned the squad to Griffith Stadium yesterday for a morning workout, given over chiefly to batting practice.

Otherwise, Bluege is somewhat content with his ball club, which has won six out of its last nine games and has been setting the hottest pace in the league since the first week of the season. Despite their .500 percentage, they're only two games off the pace, and in the important "lost" column they show one less defeat than the league-leading White Sox.

Wynn has been peculiarly effective against the Athletics over the years, though in his last start at Philadelphia he needed relief work by Tom Ferrick to get him home when he threatened to blow an eighth-inning lead.

Same Lineup

Bluege has no immediate plans for any lineup changes. "Nobody has been doing a bad job," he said, "and the only complaint I have is that some of them haven't started to hit yet, but that's easy to forgive in view of the long layoffs we've had."

Today's game brings Bingo Binks back to Griffith Stadium in a Philadelphia uniform which he is gracing very well with a .415 batting average . . . Buck Newsom is being reserved until the season's first night game on Monday against the A's, in deference to his traditional effectiveness under the lights . . . Hudson and Masterson will face the A's in tomorrow's double header . . . Clark Griffith admits that the Tigers and one other club have made him offers for Infielder Sherry Robertson but he is demanding players, not cash, in exchange.

Radio Station WPIK will broadcast the Nats-Athletics game today, starting at 2:55 p. m., Washington time. Dial 730.

The Majors

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Chicago	11	7	.611	....
Detroit	9	7	.563	1
Boston	10	8	.556	1
Cleveland	7	6	.538	1½
WASHINGT'N	6	6	.500	2
New York	8	8	.500	2
Philadelphia	7	10	.412	3½
St. Louis	6	12	.250	5

Yesterday's Results

Chicago, 2; Detroit, 1.
Cleveland at St. Louis, night.
(Only games scheduled.)

Today's Games

New York at Boston
Shea (1-1) vs. Hughson (1-2).
Philadelphia at WASHINGTON
Flores (0-3) vs. Wynn (2-1).
Detroit at Chicago
Hutchinson (3-1) vs. Harrist (0-0).
Cleveland at St. Louis (night)
Embree (2-2) vs. Potter (0-3).

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.	G.B.
Boston	12	6	.667	....
Chicago	12	6	.667	....
Brooklyn	10	5	.667	....
Pittsburgh	8	8	.500	3
Philadelphia	8	11	.421	4½
New York	6	9	.400	4½
Cincinnati	8	12	.400	5
St. Louis	5	12	.294	6½

Yesterday's Results

Boston, 6; New York, 2.
Chicago, 5; Cincinnati, 1.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia, night.
(Only games scheduled.)

Today's Games

St. Louis at Pittsburgh
Dickson (0-3) vs. Ostermueller (1-1).
Chicago at Cincinnati
Lee (0-0) vs. Blackwell (2-2).
Boston at New York
Barrett (0-1) vs. Jansen (0-0).
Brooklyn at Philadelphia
Melton (0-0) vs. Rowe (4-0).

N. Y. Reinstates Marty Servo

New York, May 9 (U.P.).—The New York State Athletic Commission today reinstated Marty Servo, former welterweight champion, who had been suspended since last September for his failure to defend the title he then possessed against Ray (Sugar) Robinson.

The commission also reinstated Servos' manager, Al Weill.

Weill and Servo made clear after their reinstatement that the fighter from Schenectady, N. Y., would make no attempt to claim the 147-pound crown which he gave up when he went into retirement last year, shortly after he was suspended.

Servo said that he would begin training in about a week and would start fighting his way back for consideration as a contender for the title now held by Robinson.

Washingtonian Named Navy Crew Director

Annapolis, Md., May 9 (AP).—Lieut Comdr. Henry L. Vaughan of Washington, D. C., was named officer representative for crew at the Naval Academy today. A former Navy varsity oarsmen, Vaughan was graduated in 1940. He is assigned to the academy executive department.

Four Tie For First In Congressional Golf

Four women tied for first place in the Congressional Country Club's Best Nine Hole Tournament yesterday.

They are Mrs. George Fitton, 56-14-42; Mrs. J. C. Outler, 58-16-42; Mrs. E. A. Swingle, 55-13-42; and Mrs. F. E. Awalt, 48-6-42.

Mrs. J. S. Myers won the low putt prize with 30, and Mrs. W. H. Coburn took the Class C competition with a low gross of 64.

National Jockey Club Names Wm. Johnston

Chicago, May 9 (AP).—William H. Johnston, Jacksonville, Fla., today was elected president of the National Jockey Club, operators of Sportsman's Park race track, to succeed the late Charles W. Bidwill. Johnston has been connected with the half mile track for 15 years.

Trout Streams Stocked

Oakland, Md., May 9 (AP).—Cherry Creek and Bear Creek have been stocked with 1900 trout, from 7½ to 12 inches long, Francis Ruge, district game warden, said today. He also said 150 quail have been released this week.

What' Doing Today

BASEBALL

Philadelphia at WASHINGTON.
West Virginia at Georgetown, 2 p. m.
Catholic U. at American U., 3 p. m.
George Washington at VMI.
Navy at Penn.
St. Albans at St. Andrew's, 2 p. m.
St. Anthony's at Loyola, 2 p. m.
Immaculata vs. St. John's at Catholic, 2 p. m.

TENNIS

Lafayette at Navy, 2 p. m.
Southern Conference Championships at Chapel Hill.
Catholic U. at Georgetown, 2 p. m.
Invitational tennis finals at Friends School, 2 p. m.

TRACK

Mason-Dixon Championships at Delaware U.
Triangular meet at Maryland, 3 p. m.
Duke at Navy, 3 p. m.
St. James' at Georgetown Prep, 3 p. m.
Metro Track Meet at Wilson, 2 p. m.
Triangular Meet at Episcopal, 3 p. m.

Cubs Wallop Reds, 4 to 1, Tie Braves For Lead

Cincinnati, May 9 (AP).—The Chicago Cubs made Johnny Vander Meer's first start of the season an unhappy one today as they clubbed his offerings for five hits and four runs in the sixth inning and then eighth to defeat the Cincinnati added another marker in the Reds, 5-1.

A crowd of 220 saw big Bill Nicholson come through with the eighth inning score as he banged Relief Hurler Clyde Shoun's first pitch into the right field bleachers.

Vander Meer kept abreast with the steady pitching of the Cubs' Bill Schmitz until the sixth.

Ed Waitkus started the Chicago rally with a single. Four more safeties, with a walk to Don Johnson, gave the Cubs a 4-1 lead.

The victory left the Cubs tied with the Boston Braves for temporary possession of the National League lead as the Brooklyn Dodgers were booked for a night game.

Grady Hatton's failure to block a probable double-play grounder by Bob Scheffing in the sixth, when the Reds led, 1 to 0, was a contributing factor to their loss.

Andy Pafko and Waitkus opened the inning with singles, and Phil Cavarretta fanned. Scheffing ground to Hatton, scoring Waitkus. Bill Nicholson's single to right scored Pafko. Johnny Vander Meer walked Don Johnson and Denny Murullo's double scored two runs.

The Reds' lone run came on Bert Haas' homer off John Schmitz in the fourth.

Chicago	AB	H	O	A	Cincinnati	AB	H	O	A
Hack,3b	4	0	1	2	B'holts,rf	4	0	1	0
Waitkus,1b	5	2	9	0	Adams,2b	4	0	0	2
Pafko,cf	5	3	3	0	Hatton,3b	4	1	2	1
C'retta,lf	4	0	3	0	Haas,1b	3	1	7	0
Scheffing,c	4	1	6	1	Mueller,c	4	2	3	1
N'olson,rf	4	2	2	0	Vollmer,cf	4	0	5	0
Johnson,2b	2	0	1	2	Miller,ss	2	1	4	3
Merullo,ss	4	2	1	4	Usher,lf	3	0	4	0
Schmitz,p	4	0	1	2	V.Meer,p	2	0	0	0
					aZientara	1	0	0	0
Totals	36	10	27	10	Totals	31	5	27	8

aFlied out for Vander Meer in seventh.

Chicago	000 004 010—5
Cincinnati	000 100 000—1

Runs—Waitkus, Pafko, Scheffing, Nicholson (2), Haas. Error—Baumholtz. Runs batted in—Nicholson (2), Merullo (2), Scheffing, Haas. Two-base hits—Pafko, Miller. Home runs—Haas, Nicholson. Stolen base—Waitkus. Double play—Merullo to Johnson to Waitkus. Left on bases—Chicago, 8; Cincinnati, 5. Base on balls—Schmitz, 2; Vander Meer, 3; Shoun, 1. Strikeouts—Schmitz, Vander Meer, 3. Hits—Vander Meer, 7 in 7; Shoun, 3 in 2. Losing pitcher—Vander Meer. Umpires—Reardon, Goetz and Conlan. Time—1:46. Attendance—2200.

American U. Loses, 15 to 14

In an hilarious slugfest American University diamonders were nosed out by Mount St. Mary's, one of the Eagles' earlier victims, by a 15-4 count yesterday at the A. U. field.

Ahead by 9-3 going into the fourth inning, the Eagles allowed Mount St. Mary's five runs each in the fourth and sixth innings. They still had a chance to win in the seventh and last frame when, with the tying and winning runs on second and third, Tommy Wingo stuck out and Charley Kligman grounded out.

Each side used three pitchers, American's turning in a 9-hit performance while Mount hurlers were touched for 15 hits. It was American's seventh loss in nine games and the Mount's third triumph in eight games.

St. Mary's	AB	H	O	A	A. U.	AB	H	O	A
Stresser,p	1	0	1	1	Hossick,3b	4	2	2	3
Scanlon,p	2	2	0	1	Carter,rf	4	1	0	0
Kohosko,p	1	0	0	1	Sfisko,rf	1	0	0	0
Maleski,p	0	1	0	0	Wacker,2b	2	1	2	0
O'Grady,1b	4	1	10	0	Jacobson,cf	3	1	0	1
Morrow,rf	5	1	0	0	Fugler,lf	5	3	2	0
Clark,cf	4	2	2	0	Hassett,ss	4	3	2	2
K'papis,ss	2	0	1	3	Wingo,ss	1	0	0	1
Hanlon,lf	3	1	2	0	Sherman,1b	3	1	3	0
Wunder,c	1	0	1	0	Ricucci,1b	1	0	3	0
Scully,c	3	0	3	1	aKligman	1	0	0	0
Warner,3b	3	1	3	3	Kennedy,c	4	1	6	1
					Milleski,p	2	1	1	1
Totals	32	9	21	12	Hamlin,p	1	1	0	0
					McL'lan,p	1	1	0	0
					Totals	37	15	21	9

aGrounded out for Ricucci in seventh.

Mt. St. Mary's	300 525 0—15
American U.	207 220 1—14

Runs—Stresser, Martin, O'Grady (2), Clark (2), Kripatis (3), Hamlin (3), Wunder, Scanlon, Morrow, Carter (2), Wacker (4), Hossick, Jacobson (2), Hassett (2), Sherman, Maleski, Fugler. Errors—Sherman, Hanlon (2), Warner (2), Wacker, Ricucci, Wingo, Kennedy. Two-base hits—Hossick, Hassett, Morrow. Three-base hits—O'Grady, Wacker. Double plays—Hassett to Wacker to Sherman; Jacobson to Wingo to Hossick. Strikeouts—Stresser, 1; Scanlon, 1; Kohosko, 2; Maleski, 3; Hamlin, 2; McLachen, 3. Bases on balls—Stresser, 2; Scanlon, 2; Kohosko, 2; Maleski, 3; Hamlin, 5; McLachlen, 3. Hits—Stresser, 6 in 2⅓; Scanlon, 8 in 2⅔; Kohosko, 1 in 2; Maleski, 4 in 3⅓; Hamlin, 3 in 1⅔; McLachlen, 2 in 2. Winning pitcher—Scanlon. Losing pitcher—McLachlen.

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KING RANCH CHAMPION WINS ANOTHER $30,000—Eddie Arcaro jockeys the mighty Assault (2A) to victory yesterday in the Dixie Handicap at Pimlico to climb to third place on the list of all-time money winners. Arnold Hanger's South American Rico Monte, with Donoso up, comes in second in the mile and three-sixteenths race

Braves Jump On Voiselle, Whip N. Y., 6-2

New York, May 9 (AP).—Warren Spahn's pitching and an early attack on Bill Voiselle were enough to keep the Boston Braves in the thick of the race for the National League lead today with a 6-2 victory over the Giants. But New York's Clint Hartung and Johnny Mize provided most of the fireworks for a chilled crowd of 5894 cash customers and 5000 school children.

Spahn gave up only eight hits in winning his fourth straight mound victory and two of them were Mize's ninth home run of the season and Willard Marshall's third. Both came with bases empty after the Braves had driven Voiselle to cover with a six-run assault in the first three innings.

Hartung, whose big league debut this spring was attended with reams of publicity about his hitting and pitching in the Army, made a highly successful first appearance on the mound for the Giants. He gave up only two hits and no runs in the last six innings, fanned five Braves with his fast ball and newly acquired curve and walked only three.

The Braves did the most damage in the fourth when a walk and two singles drove Voiselle to the showers and an error, a hit and a fly off Mike Budnick produced a total of four runs.

Boston	AB	H	O	A	New York	AB	H	O	A
Ryan,2b	4	1	3	2	Blattner,2b	5	1	0	1
Holmes,rf	3	1	3	0	R'ney,3b,ss	4	3	1	3
Hopp,cf	5	2	4	0	Thomson,cf	4	1	5	0
Elliott,3b	5	1	2	2	Mize,1b	3	1	5	0
Rowell,lf	5	2	0	0	Cooper,c	4	1	8	0
Masi,c	4	1	7	0	Marshall,rf	4	1	5	0
T'greson,1b	3	1	5	0	Gordon,lf	4	0	2	0
F'andes,ss	4	1	3	0	Kerr,ss	1	0	1	0
Spahn,p	4	0	0	1	Lohrke,3b	1	0	0	0
					Voiselle,p	0	0	2	0
Totals	37	10	27	5	Budnick,p	0	0	0	0
					aGearhart	1	0	0	0
					Hartung,p	3	0	0	0
					Totals	34	8	27	6

aFlied out for Budnick in third.

Boston	204 000 000—6
New York	000 010 010—2

Runs—Ryan, Holmes (2), Hopp, Elliott, Rowell, Mize, Marshall. Errors—Rigney, Cooper (2). Runs batted in—Holmes, Hoff, R. Elliott, Rowell, Masi, Torgeson, Marshall, Mize. Two-base hits—Ryan, Torgeson, Rigney, Cooper. Three-base hit—Holmes. Home runs—Marshall, Mize. Stolen base—Rowell. Double play—R. Elliott to Ryan to Torgeson. Left on bases—Boston, 8; New York 8. Base on balls—Voiselle, 1; Hartung, 3; Spahn, 3. Strikeouts—Spahn, 4; Budnick, 1; Hartung, 5. Hits—Voiselle, 6 in 2⅓; Budnick, 2 in ⅔; Hartung, 2 in 6. Loser—Voiselle. Umpires—Stewart, Magerkurth and Henline. Time—2:08. Attendance—5894 paid.

Isbell Backfield Aide Selected

La Porte, Ind., May 9 (U.P.).—Don Edmonds, head high school football coach at La Porte for the past 10 years, today signed a contract as backfield coach and assistant to Cecil Isbell with the Baltimore Colts of the All-American Professional League.

Edmonds starred as an Indiana University fullback several seasons ago. Last fall he coached the East Division winner of the Northern Indiana High School Conference.

Haight Switches . . .

Race Writers Like Faultless In Poll for Preakness Winner

Baltimore, May 9 (AP).—Faultless may have finished only in third place in last week's Kentucky Derby, but he is the consensus choice of the sports writers here for tomorrow's fifty-seventh Preakness.

Of 31 writers balloting in the Associated Press Preakness poll, 12 tabbed the tall, rangy hope of Owner Warren Wright and Trainer Jimmy Jones to whip the Derby winner, Jet Pilot, and the Derby second-placer, Phalanx.

Jet Pilot and Phalanx split all but one of the rest of the first-place ballots, with ten going to the Pilot and eight to the "Gentleman from Virginia."

On Trust, fourth in the Derby, drew the other. Incidentally, although the Pilot won the Derby, six of the 30 writers failed to pick him even to finish in the money in the Preakness.

Here are the results of the balloting:

Writer	Paper	Selection
Walter Haight	Washington Post	Faultless, Phalanx, King Bay
Sid Feder	Associated Press	Jet Pilot, Phalanx, Faultless
Lincoln Piaut	Daily Racing Form	Phalanx, Jet Pilot, On Trust
Gaby Haugh	Baltimore News-Post	Faultless, Jet Pilot, Phalanx
Bill Boniface	Baltimore Evening Sun	Jet Pilot, Faultless, Bullet Proof
Tony Betts	New York Mirror	Faultless, Phalanx, Jet Pilot
Maurice Bernard	Los Angeles Examiner	Jet Pilot, Phalanx, Faultless
John Webster	Philadelphia Inquirer	Phalanx, Faultless, Jet Pilot
Joe Palmer	New York Herald Tribune	Faultless, Jet Pilot, Phalanx
Jesse Linthicum	Baltimore Sun	Jet Pilot, Faultless, On Trust
Rhoda Christmas	Washington Times-Herald	Jet Pilot, Faultless, Phalanx
Edgar Horn	Turf and Sports Digest	Faultless, On Trust, Phalanx
Oscar Otis	San Francisco Chronicle & Daily Racing Form	Faultless, Jet Pilot, Phalanx
Clem McCarthy	National Broadcasting Co.	On Trust, Jet Pilot, Phalanx
Humphrey Finney	The Maryland Horse Magazine	Faultless, Phalanx, On Trust
Jack Carpenter	Daily Racing Form	Faultless, Phalanx, Jet Pilot
Paul Menton	Baltimore Evening Sun	Phalanx, Faultless, Jet Pilot
John Chandler	Associated Press	Jet Pilot, Phalanx, Bullet Proof
Palmer Haegerty	Daily Racing Form	Faultless, Cosmic Bomb, Phalanx
Lawton Carver	International News Service	Jet Pilot, Phalanx, Faultless
Leo Peterson	United Press	Phalanx, Jet Pilot, Faultless
Joe Kelly	Baltimore Sun	Faultless, Phalanx, Jet Pilot
George Ryall	New Yorker Magazine	Phalanx, Faultless, King Bay
Jim Roach	New York Times	Jet Pilot, Phalanx, On Trust
Ralph Trost	Brooklyn Eagle	Faultless, Jet Pilot, Phalanx
Red Smith	New York Herald Tribune	Phalanx, Jet Pilot, Faultless
Gene Ward	New York Daily News	Jet Pilot, Phalanx, On Trust

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of the "Big Three55 is the chief topic of the press gang, the long-shot seekers don't have to look far fo ra colt to support. And not without reason. Figures to the contrary, they say, the horses still have to run around the track where often "things just happen."

Horses with a fair chance, according to the consensus, are: E. O. Stice's On Trust; William Helis' Cosmic Bomb and Mrs. M. E. (Liz.) Whitney's Bullet Proof. The real ousiders in the field will include Circle M Farm's Riskolator, Mill River Stable's Seconav, King Ranch's Contest, Bernard Bax's King Bay and Edward P. Taylor's Cornish Knight.

As usual, most of the pre-Preakness predictions are based on what happened in the Derby. One thing is positive—Jet Pilot went to the front and led every jump of the way. What went on behind him is a matter of opinion for the most part.

Argument for Each

Backers of Phalanx will tell you theer is no assurance that the son of Pilate will shuffle back to obtain racing form that Jockey Arcaro was unable to get until late at Louisville. Faultless supporters expect better racing luck for the Calumet ace for he was alleged to have been nudged several times turning for home at Churchill Downs.

The Jet Pilot boys are not worried because no rain is predicted here and the son of Blenheim II might not have the soft going of Derby day strip. They point out that Jet Pilot won the Pimlico Futurity here last year on a lightning fast track and by his copy righted method of staying in front.

Although Trainer Tom Smith can hardly be expected to order Jockey Eric Guerin to do anything but try another "You can't catch me" effort, there may be a change in strategy in other camps. For instance, Faultless, instead of being rated off the pace, may be sent postward to try to run Jet Pilot into the ground.

Phalanx, naturally, will have to come from behind again and the post position draw finds him closer to the outside of the field tomorrow which is an improvement. On Trust, from No. 1, gets a better chance to show his speed and the same goes for Faultless from No. 2. Jet Pilot, who broke from the outside in the Derby, gets No. 7 and has enough go at the start to be fitted for any position. Bullet Proof again is near the inside in No. 4.

No Marylanders

The field doesn't include a Maryland-bred but Virginia has double representation in Phalanx who first saw the light of day at White Post and Bullet Proof from down Middleburg way. On Trust will carry the hopes of the California breeders while the others will fly the Blue Grass colors of Ole Kentuck.

Barring rain the keen competition may bring a new record. The present mark is 1:57 held by Alsab for the current distance of a mile and three-sixteenths first run in 1925. The track record, however, is the property of Riverland, 1:56 2/5, while carrying 123 pounds. As usual, all entries carry 126 pounds in the Preakness. Fillies get in with 121 but the gal horses are absentees this year.

Three of the eleven entries were added starters, getting into the swim through supplementary entries at a cost of $3000. Thus the race, with a gross value of $138,140, providing all eleven go, will represent difference in earnings. Those in the original field will net $98,005 while the Johnnie-come-latelies will take down $95,140. In the latter group are On Trust, Bullet Proof and Cornish Knight.

You Can Still Bet

The boxes and reserved seats for Preakness day have been sold out for more than six weeks. However, betting facilities have been installed in the infield and the overflow customers probably will make that their headquarters.

For the first time since the war, betting on the Preakness will be conducted throughout the day. Special booths have been set up for this purpose.

Post time for the first race is 2 p. m. (1 p. m. Washington time) and the Preakness post time has been set at 5:10 p. m. (4:10 p. m. Washington time). Baltimore is on fast time.

Remember, if you bring a camp stool, don't have anything to do with a guy with a board.

Pimlico Post Time 2 P. M.

Post time at Pimlico today will be 2 o'clock, Eastern Daylight Time, instead of 2:15 o'clock, racing officials announced Thursday.

Ken Heintzelman Sold By Pirates to Phils

Pittsburgh, May 9 (AP).—Portsider Ken Heintzelman, 31-year-old prematurely gray pitcher, was peddled today to the Philadelphia Phillies by the Pittsburgh Pirates for an unannounced sum in a straight cash deal completed by telephone.

Bucco General Manager Roy Hamey and Herb Pennock, his opposite number with the Phils, did the long-distance haggling. Heintzelman, first joined the Bucs in 1937, but spent two years toiling on the baseball farms. He returned to the big wheel in 1938 and remained with the club except for three years spent in the Army. Heintzelman rejoined the Pirates last season and compiled an 8 won, 12 lost record for a seventh-place club.

Riegel's Pace Frets Scots

St. Andrews, Scotland, May 9 (AP). Skee Riegel of Glendale, Calif., maintaining a torrid pace that ordinarily would be good enough to win the open championship on St. Andrews "old" course, gave the Scots something more to fret about as the United States Walker Cup golf team continued its tune-ups for the international matches.

Riegel tonight posted a 71, 2 under par, besides his morning round of 72.

Meanwhile the British amateur candidates engaged in 36-hole match play. If their Walker Cup team were picked on the basis of today's winners it would be Reg Ewing, Charlie Stowe, Arthur Perowne, Leonard Crawley, J. C. Wilson, Gordon Peters, Sam McKinlay, Ronnie White and Gerald Micklem.

The best cards were Ewing's 75 and 73, Stowe's 71-77, and Perowne's two 75's.

Music, Baseball, Mix Very Nicely

Grand Junction, Iowa, May 9 (AP).—James Bullard, Grand Junction High School student, didn't want to pass up either a music contest or a baseball game tomorrow so his father has arranged for a chartered plane to see that the youth participates in both.

Young Bullard will play a clarinet solo in the national music contest at St. Joseph, Mo., tomorrow morning, and then fly to Fort Dodge, Iowa, to be catcher on the Grand Junction High School team in the district baseball tournament in the afternoon.

Newhouser Fails Again, Grove Hurls Seven-Hitter

Chicago, May 9 (AP).—The Chicago White Sox moved back to the top of American League standings by edging Detroit, 2-1, here today for the eleventh Sox victory in 13 games. Orval Grove pitched a seven-hitter for Chicago.

The White Sox scored their first run in 27 innings in the second inning when Lloyd Christopher opened with a single against Hal Newhouser, who allowed nine hits. Dave Philley singled Christopher to third. Christopher scored while Cass Michaels was forcing Philley at second.

Detroit pulled into a 1-1 tie in the sixth. Dick Wakefield singled with one out and scored on Pat Mullin's second double of the afternoon and his tenth of the season.

The Sox pushed over the winning run in the seventh. Don Kolloway, sitting in at third base for ailing Floyd Baker, opened with a single, Luke Appling sacrificed him to second. Murrell Jones then looped his second single into center, scoring Kolloway.

Detroit	AB	H	O	A	Chicago	AB	H	O	A
Lake,ss	3	0	2	3	K'loway,3b	4	1	1	5
Kell,3b	4	0	1	4	Appling,ss	3	1	0	5
C'enbine,1b	3	0	4	0	Jones,1b	3	0	11	0
W'field,lf	4	2	0	0	Kennedy,rf	4	1	1	1
Mullin,rf	3	2	1	0	Ch'topher,lf	3	2	2	0
Evers,cf	3	1	2	0	Philley,cf	3	1	1	0
Mayo,2b	4	1	2	0	Michaels,2b	3	1	1	4
Swift,c	3	1	7	1	Dickey,c	4	0	3	0
aOutlaw	0	0	0	0	Grove,p	3	0	0	3
Tebbetts,c	0	0	3	0					
bCramer	1	0	0	0	Totals	31	9	27	19
N'houser,p	2	0	0	1					
cWerts	1	0	0	0					
Totals	31	7	24	6					

aRan for Swift in seventh.
bSingled for Tebbetts in ninth.
cGrounded out for Newhouser in ninth.

Detroit	000 001 000—1
Chicago	010 000 10x—2

Runs—Wakefield, Kolloway, Christopher. Error—Lake. Runs batted in—Michaels, Mullin, Jones. Two-base hits—Appling, Mullin (2), Swift. Stolen base—Lake. Sacrifices—Evers, Philley, Newhouser, Appling. Left on bases—Detroit, 8; Chicago, 9. Base on balls—Newhouser, 2; Grove, 3. Strikeouts—Newhouser, 8; Grove, 1. Umpires

Bennings

DEAR FOLKS:

It doesn't mean a thing but the first Preakness entry was made for Cornish Knight and the last was that of Phalanx. Cornish Knight was made eligible when Trainer Bert Alexander phoned the entry gfom New York. The first one actually written here was that of On Trust. Agent Basil Smith filling out the paper at 8 a. m. On Trust, by the way, was the first horse ever to fly here for a Preakness. Cosmic Bomb was placed in action a bit later and then there was a lull due to the fact most trainers were giving their charges a final blowout. King Bay, Riskolater and Faultless were on the track but did nothing serious in a speed way. King Bay, by the way, was galloped by Ray White, his colored trainer. At 845 a. m., Riskolater was entered and the others followed steadily. Although the track was reported fast, cheap sprinters were clocked in 1:16 for six furlongs for the second race. The running surface is dull and deep with loose dirt. Whether or not the track would be rolled could not be learned. Such has been the case in the past. Jim Milton will start the Preakness field as usual. Hhe has had that honor for years and I can't remember a poor gateway in the big race. The sport scribes, many of them only occasional racegoers, were having trouble with their betting. One runner reported betting more than $200 for writers during the day without having to cash a single ticket.—BILL.

1—Magic Sleep, Tennessee Maid, Intermission.

2—Good Example, Reproduction, Saracen Miss.

3—Ariel Song, Turnabout, Phara Surprise.

4—El Mono, Uranium, Offislander.

5—Uncle Remus, Sendoff, Pad Lock.

6—Phalanx, Jet Pilot, Bullet Proof.

7—Ration Book, Blue Aster, Plictor.

8—Gay Venture, Masterdom, Bellclapper.

Best bet—EL MONO.

Pimlico Entries

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $2500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

P.P.	Horse and Jockey.	Wgt.	Odds.
1	Tap Lightly (no boy)	118	20-1
2	Cahors (O'Brien)	113	20-1
3	Out On (no boy)	108	10-1
4	Tennessee Maid (no boy)	108	3-1
5	Mahseer (Howell)	118	20-1
6	Balmand (Boston)	113	15-1
7	†Intermission (no boy)	106	10-1
8	†Dour Edith A. (no boy)	108	10-1
9	War Peak (Whalen)	116	20-1
10	Club Scotch (no boy)	116	6-1
11	Magic Step (Boston)	111	4-1
12	Hazlewood Aress (West)	111	4-1
13	Solar (Baird)	109	15-1
14	Dot O' Dash (Demar)	106	8-1
15	Wee Gray (no boy)	106	12-1
16	Hard Jester (Fayard)	119	20-1
17	Hannon and Beckman entry.		

SECOND RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; purse, $2500; maiden 3-year-olds.

1	Rations Are (Snider)	122	10-1
2	Hamper Song (Padgett)	122	4-1
3	†Reproduction (Breen)	122	2-1
4	Good Example (Donoso)	117	3-1
5	Simond (Covalli)	122	20-1
6	†Great Haste II (Breen)	117	2-1
7	Miss Columbus (Gray)	117	6-1
8	Saracen Miss (Hacker)	117	8-1

H. E. Jackson and K. N. Gilpin entry.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $4500; 4-year-olds up; claiming.

1	Viva Teddy (Gray)	108	6-1
2	Phara Surprise (Howell)	118	3-1
3	†Our Candidate (Adair)	118	8-1
4	Sip Away (Kirkland)	121	8-1
5	†Chola Clown (Haskell)	118	12-1
6	Season (no boy)	116	20-1
7	Arial Song (Padgett)	114	8-5
8	Rad (West)	109	6-1
9	Turnabout (Breen)	113	4-1
10	Audible (no boy)	108	20-1
11	Flying Weather (C. Kirk)	116	2-1
12	Bastador (Balsaretti)	116	12-1
13	†Lee Chris (Schmidl)	116	8-1

†A. Allen entry.

‡Formerly ran as Vassalo.

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $4000; the Bahram; 3-year-olds.

1	Off-Islander (C. Kirk)	110	10-1
2	Trenton (Padgett)	119	4-1
3	El Mono (Garza)	107	6-5
4	Bullet Proof (Wright)	116	6-1
5	Le Marcelin (Boston)	116	15-1
6	Sangsone (Covalli)	116	20-1
7	Nattie (Gilbert)	116	8-1
8	Flaxen Lass (Hacker)	107	12-1
9	Windflower (Breen)	116	3-1

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs; purse, $4000; 4-year-olds and up; claiming.

1	Tranton (Padgett)	110	10-1
2	Cahors (O'Brien)	113	20-1
3	Out On (no boy)	108	10-1
4	Tennessee Maid (no boy)	108	3-1
5	Mahseer (Howell)	118	20-1
6	Balmand (Boston)	113	15-1
7	†Intermission (no boy)	106	10-1
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P.P.	Horse and Jockey.	Wgt.	Odds.
1	Tap Lightly (no boy)	118	20

STEVE CANYON

FEETA-FEETA PHONED ME YESTERDAY TO BE ON THE LINE FOR TAKEOFF AT SUNRISE!
...IT'S NOT LIKE STEVE TO BE THE LAST MAN ON BOARD TO FLY A NEW JOB!
DID FEETA GIVE YOU THE WORD? WE PICK UP OIL WELL MACHINERY AT THE FACTORY AND FLY IT TO THE FIELDS...
FROM BIG WHEEL CALHOON TO BIG WHEELS, PERIOD!
STAND BY TO PIPE THE SIDE! SKIPPER'S COMING ABOARD!
WANTA TAKE IT, BRECK?
SURE, STEVE... WELL, WE SURE 'NUF HAVE TO HAND IT TO YOU, SON. WE HIT PAY AIR MIGHTY SOON AFTER THE CALHOON BLOW!
TELL US ALL ABOUT HOW YOU SNAGGED THIS NEW ASSIGNMENT SO QUICKLY, BOSS!
WHY, HE'S FAST ASLEEP ALREADY! POOR STEVE WAS PROBABLY UP ALL NIGHT FIGURIN' WEIGHT AND BALANCE ON THIS NEW CARGO!

JOE PALOOKA

NURSE... YOU DID A SPLENDID JOB. I DON'T THINK HE HAS ANY INTERNAL INJURIES BUT WE'LL HAVE TO HAVE HIM X-RAYED LATER.
I'M NOT A NURSE, DOCTOR.
THAT'S MISS WAYNE, DOC. JUNE MEET DOC HUNTER.
HOW DO YOU DO, DOCTOR.
HOWDY, MISS WAYNE, BUT YOU MUST BE A NURSE. YOUR BANDAGE IS PROFESSIONAL AND YOU SOUNDED LIKE ONE...
I'M NOT, DOCTOR, I JUST GAVE HIM FIRST AID.
OH, I SEE. WELL, YOUNG MAN, YOU JUST TAKE IT EASY FOR A FEW DAYS AND DON'T TRY ANY MORE ACROBATICS.
YOU GET ME OFF THIS BED SOON. I GOT PAINTIN' TO DO.

MICKEY FINN

WHAT DO YOU THINK OF THE LODGE SENDIN' PHIL TO THE CONVENTION, McNIEL?
AW-I DON'T THINK IT'S ANYTHING TO BE CONCERNED ABOUT! NOBODY WILL EVEN KNOW HE'S THERE!
PAINT
IS THIS WHERE THE DELEGATES REGISTER?
THIS IS IT! JUST SIGN YOUR NAME-YOUR LODGE-AND YOUR HOME TOWN!
HEADQUARTERS NATIONAL CONVENTION ANCIENT ORDER OF
PARDON ME, SIR-I'M COVERING THIS CONVENTION FOR THE LOCAL PAPER-AND I NOTICED WHERE YOU ARE FROM! ARE YOU THE SHERIFF WHO FIGURED IN THE "SHADY" WOODS CASE UP THERE?
THAT'S RIGHT! I BROUGHT THE MISSING WITNESS BACK FROM CALIFORNIA TO TESTIFY!
AND HOW DO YOU LIKE OCEAN CITY, SHERIFF?
YOU CAN QUOTE ME AS SAYING THAT I THINK IT'S THE MOST WONDERFUL SPOT IN THE WORLD!

PENNY

GOLLY, THE DOORBELL! WILL YOU ANSWER IT PLEASE, FATHER?
OKAY.
WAIT JUST A MINUTE UNTIL I PUT ON MY COAT.
PUT ON YOUR COAT? I DON'T GET THE IDEA.
IT'S PERFECTLY SIMPLE, FATHER.....
IF IT'S ELMO, I'M JUST ON MY WAY OVER TO JANE'S... BUT IF IT'S DOODLE, I'VE JUST COME IN.
I HAENIGSEN

MARY WORTH

WELL, BABY! SHALL WE GET BUSY PREPARING OUR SACRIFICE TO LAY BEFORE MR. J. CASHMAN FLINT TOMORROW?
MIND IF WE SETTLE ONE POINT FIRST, MIKE?
IS THIS JUST ANOTHER OFFICE ROMANCE?...STOLEN KISSES IN THE STOCK ROOM?..HANDS ACROSS THE WATERCOOLER?...OR IS IT REAL?
I'M NOT HINTING FOR ICE ON MY LEFT HAND..BUT I'VE BEEN HURT BEFORE, SWEETHEART..AND I DON'T WANT THE GROUND RULES CHANGED IN THE MIDDLE OF THE GAME!
ALL I CAN SAY IS THAT..FOR THE FIRST TIME..I'M NOT VIOLENTLY ALLERGIC TO THE ODOR OF ORANGE BLOSSOMS!
THAT'S GOOD ENOUGH FOR ME! LET'S GO BACK TO WORK!

WINNIE WINKLE

SERVES Y'RIGHT! MAKIN' A PUBLIC FOOL OF YERSELF!!
HI, RIP! WELL, IT WAS A BIG SUCCESS! WE MADE ENOUGH MONEY FER TH' ORPHAN'S' PICNIC AN' GOT ENOUGH MONEY LEFT OVER TO REPAIR TH' FIREHOUSE DAMAGE!
WHY, YOU SWEET OL'---OL'--GOAT!

SUPERMAN

DEXTER'S GIVING A MILLION TO CHARITY DEPENDS ON MY ADVERTISING HIS BROADCAST TONIGHT IN THE HOPE HE'LL FIND MISS WHISPER.
AS SOON AS I SMOOTH OUT THE SURFACE OF THIS GIANT BILLBOARD, IT'LL BE READY FOR PAINTING! THEN-MY REAL JOB BEGINS.
I'VE EIGHT HOURS LEFT TO COVER THE ISOLATED SPOTS OF THE NATION WITH THIS ANNOUNCEMENT.
WHO IS MISS WHISPER?
HEAR HER VOICE ON WXBX TONITE-8:30
YOU USED A PHONE LAST ...DAY AT NOON-IT MAY BE YOU!!

DOTTY

DADDY, WOULD YOU LIKE ME IF I HAD BEEN A LITTLE BOY?
UH-HUH--YES, OF COURSE!
THEN YOU LIKE LITTLE BOYS BETTER THAN GIRLS?!
HUH? I DIDN'T SAY THAT--!
YA-A-- DADDY DOESN'T LIKE LITTLE GIRLS ANY MORE!!
?
SHAME ON YOU! A GROWN MAN--AND A FATHER!!

THE DISTRICT LINE

by W.E.G.

UMTEES

The United States Army is quietly conducting an experiment in Democracy, and a local boy is one of 664 lads who are taking part in it.

He's Charles M. Stover, of 429 Quackenbos st. nw., the son of Mrs. Margaret Stover, who works at the Washington Cathedral.

Umtee Stover

On the first of this year, the Army activated "The Umtees" (members of the Universal Military Training experimental unit). The group was set up to serve as a guinea pig unit in testing Universal Training techniques. The life of the unit was set at six months.

As the six months draw to a close, the Army is enthusiastic about the results. The boys are all in the same age group (under 20) and as a result, their spirit and their accomplishments have exceeded expectations.

They work and train and learn as a smoothly-functioning team, and Mrs. Stover reports that Charley has written her:

"This is the life for me. I think every boy would be a better citizen if he had this training—and many of them will want to stay in the service when their time is up, and make a career of the Army."

If and when Congress approves UMT legislation, thousands of other Washington lads will be following in the path now being blazed by the Umtees.

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FOUND

The briefcase lost by Belgian E. de Beer de Laer has been found by District Liner Clifford Reuter, jr., of 811 Quincy st. nw.

Reuter found the missing documents in a phone booth at the Washington Hotel, where he is employed.

Incidentally, Reuter is post adjutant of Post 284, Veterans of Foreign Wars—and served in Belgium during the war.

The street addresses and names of the cities listed on the briefcase papers were all familiar to him, and he was wondering how to locate the owner when he saw our plea from the International Red Cross. Small world, isn't it?

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INFORMATION PLEASE

There are many "blind" intersections in Washington which are caused by objects which block a motorist's view.

Sometimes it's a tree, or a high hedge, or perhaps a brick wall surrounding a corner lot. Visibility is lessened to the extent that careful drivers approaching the corner must creep out into the intersection before going on.

One of our District Liners wonders whether there's any restriction against such traffic hazards—or whether a property-holder is within his rights to do as he wishes on his own land.

Personally, I don't know. Is there a lawyer in the house?

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MAIL BAG

"Many thanks for the mention of the children's ballet. You'll be pleased to hear that they danced to a full house."
Iris Ashley Knowles

As Walter Haight always says: "Post Want Ads get results."

LOST

If you found a brown gaberdine purse on M st., around 34th, here's how it got there. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Morton, of 475 F st. sw., were driving along M st. when the purse fell out of the car. There's a reward for its return.

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HE'S 6' 1"

The Thursday Post carried a story about Congressman Kunkel of Pennsylvania inviting 1000 of his constituents to lunch at the Statler. The headline on the story read:

1000 Constituents To Lunch on Pennsylvania Congressman

Mrs. M. A. Olman, of Fairfax Village, is startled by the headline, and inquires:

"How big is the man?"

Grin and Bear It

"You must see about getting your glasses changed, Smedley—or are you asleep?"

The Thrill That Comes Once in a Lifetime

SA-AY, LOOK AT THIS REPORT CARD! HE GOT AN F IN EVERY SINGLE SUBJECT, AND THE TEACHER SAYS HE'S SO BACKWARD IT'S A WASTE OF TIME SENDING HIM TO SCHOOL! THAT'S WONDERFUL!
THE LOWEST POSSIBLE MARKS IN EVERYTHING! OH, I'M SO RELIEVED!
A HARVARD PROFESSOR SAYS: "—ONE OF THE THREATS TO CIVILIZATION IS THE GENIUS-MANIAC. THE SIMPLE WAY TO DISPOSE OF THIS PROBLEM IS TO KILL OFF, WHILE YOUNG, ALL PRIMATES THAT SHOW ANY EVIDENCE OF PROMISE."

The Bridge Deck

By Florence Osborn

Robert McPherran, stock broker, won a good score on today's deal by avoiding a finesse and making his contract of four hearts with two overtricks. His victory came at last year's American Contract Bridge Tournament.

West's opening lead was the ten of diamonds and South let it ride to his queen. He led a low heart, small from West and North's king won. Declarer continued a small trump from dummy, covered East's jack with the queen and West took the ace. West led back his last heart and dummy's ten won.

Next McPherran cashed four diamonds on the board, discarding two spades and one club from the closed hand. He laid down the ace and king of clubs, followed with the jack, and when East played the queen declarer was sure of the remaining tricks. He trumped East's club queen, entered the North hand by ruffing a spade and cashed the long club.

Declarer made four hearts with two overtricks, losing only to the ace of hearts. His play of the clubs offered more chance of success than a simple finesse.

Today's Hand

Neither Side Vulnerable
EAST DEALER

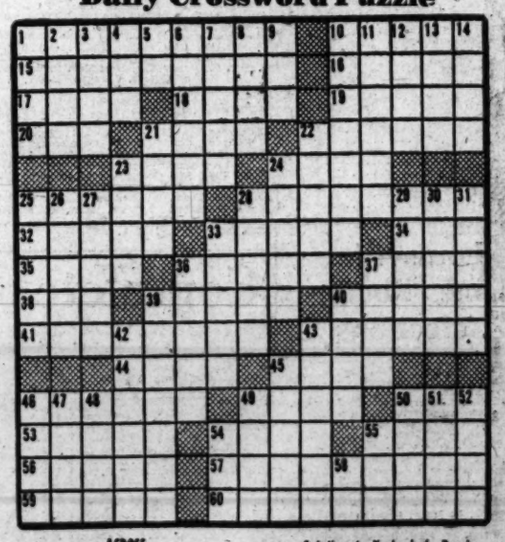
	♠ None ♡ K 10 6 2 ◇ A K J 9 6 ♣ K J 10 9	
♠ A Q J 8 6 ♡ A 7 4 ◇ 10 8 ♣ 7 5 4	NORTH	♠ 10 7 5 3 ♡ J 5 ◇ 7 5 4 2 ♣ Q 8 2
	McPherran ♠ K 9 4 2 ♡ Q 9 8 3 ◇ Q 3 ♣ A 8 3	

The bidding:

East	South	West	North
Pass	Pass	1 ♠	Double
2 ♠	2 NT	Pass	3 ◇
Pass	3 ♡	Pass	4 ♡
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: 10 ◇.

Daily Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

1 Quickest
10 Scattered
15 Flowery shrub
16 Solid-hoofed animal
17 Scope
18 Yellowish-gray cloth
19 Enraged
20 Chess pieces
21 National assembly
22 Sharpshooter
23 Event
24 Loose garment
25 Fit
28 Breakfast food
32 Slight encounter
33 Wicker hamper
34 Fixed condition
35 Dilemma
36 Contact
37 Before-mentioned
38 Individual
39 Shell
40 Helmet part
41 Upbraid
43 Recent
44 Move slowly
45 Guide
46 Harm
49 Inferior diamond
50 Brewing tub
53 Feebleminded
54 Irrevocable destiny
55 Greek letter
56 Triangular surface
57 Nonconductor of sound
59 Backless seat
60 Rhythm instrument

DOWN

1 Imposture
2 Funeral pile
3 Delightful residence
4 Period
5 City official: abbr.
6 Charge with a crime
7 Heron's plume
8 Stock Exchange membership
9 Shoe latchet
10 Roofing material
11 Reddish-brown sheep
12 Involve
13 Italian family
14 Ruminant
21 Shatter
22 Section of the U. S.
23 Melt
24 Expanse
25 Abominate
26 Dull tone
27 Flavored drink
28 Ovoid
29 Obliterate
30 Current story
31 Unrelenting
33 Bed
36 Small quantity
37 Party
39 Freeze
40 Fencing loap
42 Mart
43 Grumble
45 Lodge
46 Fathers
47 Herb dill
48 Kind of sorghum
49 Os
50 Prohibit
51 Type of bomb
52 Weight allowance
54 Tarnished
55 Prohibition
58 Seal

Solution to Yesterday's Puzzle

A	L	I	D	A	D	E	S	■	B	E	C	A	M	E
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P	O	S	T	E	R	S	■	R	E	C	E	D	E	D	■
A	R	■	I	N	S	■	S	E	N	E	C	A	N	■	■
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S	E	D	A	T	E	■	S	T	E	N	T	O	R	S	■

TERRY AND THE PIRATES

YES, MY DEAR, I NOW HAVE ALL THE INFORMATION ABOUT THE GOVERNMENT AND THE ARMY THAT I NEED. I AM NOW READY TO MAKE MY GAMBLE WITH FORTUNE — AND THIS IS MY FIRST THROW OF THE DICE.
THE TELEGRAPH OFFICE! BOR, STOP TALKING LIKE A POET — YOU'RE THE WRONG SHAPE. WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO DO?
MERELY SEND A MESSAGE, MY DEAR.
PLEASED TO STATE THAT SHEEP ARE READY TO BE SHEARED. NOW IS TIME TO EXPECT WOLVES TO ATTACK FLOCKS...
ET POSTES

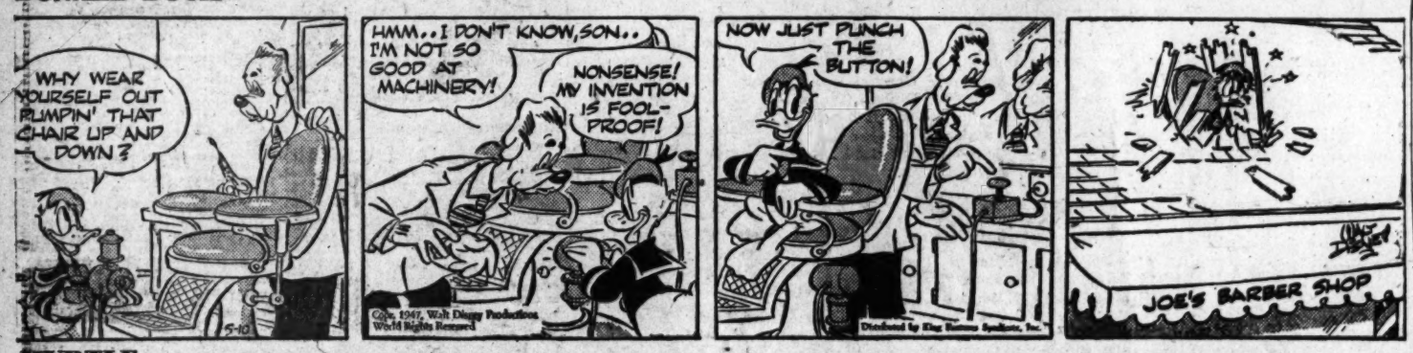
WAHOO AND STEVE ROPER

I'M GONNA KEEP MY FUR-TRIMMED FACE-TRAP CLOSED AN JUST LET YA SIT HERE ABSORBIN' THE MOON-LIGHT, MISS DE VINE!
LISTEN!— ISN'T THAT SOMEONE RUNNING ALONG THE PATH DOWN THERE, AL?
PROBABLY ONE OF MONOCLE MOLLY'S BOYS DOING A LITTLE NIGHT ROAD WORK!
SONNY?— — IT'S I— KIT!

DIXIE DUGAN

LOOK AT YOUR HAT
I'M GLAD IT'S NOT MY FACE—
BR—OTHER! AM I GLAD SOMEBODY NEGLECTED THIS LAWN! IT SERVED AS A BRAKE! WOTTA BREAK!
MUST YOU PUN AT A TIME LIKE THIS!

DONALD DUCK


WHY WEAR YOURSELF OUT PUMPIN' THAT CHAIR UP AND DOWN?
HMM.. I DON'T KNOW, SON.. I'M NOT SO GOOD AT MACHINERY!
NONSENSE! MY INVENTION IS FOOL-PROOF!
NOW JUST PUNCH THE BUTTON!
JOE'S BARBER SHOP

MYRTLE

OZARK IKE

'SCUSE ME SUH, BUT DIDJA SAY TWO STRIKES?
HEY, OZARK...TH' PITCH!
THE BALL STRIKES OZARK'S MOTIONLESS BAT...
...AND TRICKLES DOWN THE THIRD-BASE LINE.
A RUNNER CROSSES THE PLATE AND THE GAME IS WON... IF OZARK CAN BEAT THE THROW TO FIRST !!

MARK TRAIL

...AND THIS HURRICANE IS SWEEPING IN FROM THE SOUTH AT A TERRIFIC RATE OF SPEED... EVERYONE IS WARNED TO PREPARE FOR HEAVY WINDS...
SAY, I'D BETTER GET OUT TO COQUINA ISLAND AND LET THE BIRDS OUT OF THE TRAPS BEFORE THIS STORM HITS!
IT MAY BE ROUGH BEFORE YOU GET BACK, MR. MALONE.. BETTER LET ME GO...
NO, MARK... I'D RATHER YOU STAY AND GET THINGS READY FOR THE BLOW!
ED DODD

KING OF THE ROYAL MOUNTED

THEY'RE SO SURE I'M IN THE BOX THEY DIDN'T BOTHER TO LOOK!
OKAY, IGOR, THIS IS CLOSE ENOUGH!
RAISE THE HOIST!
THERE GOES OUR MOUNTIE PEST!
LET'S GO, IGOR! WE'VE GOT TO TAKE CARE OF THAT WILDERNESS GIRL NEXT!

Today's Radio Programs

THE WASHINGTON POST
Saturday, May 3, 1947

SATURDAY — WASHINGTON — E.S.T.

	WMAL 630	WRC 980	WOL 1260	WINX 1340	WWDC 1450	WTOP 1500
	News, 6, 7, 8:30 Today's Prelude, 6:05 Town Clock, 7:10-9, David Wills, 7:45.	WRC Almanac, 5:30 News, 6, 7, 7:30, 8, 8:30, Bill Henson, 6:05, 9.	News, 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8, Art Brown, 6:03-9:30.	News, 6, 7, 8 Hugh Guidi, Wake Up with WINX 6:05-9	Hunnicutt, 6-9 Devotions, 6:45. News, 6:30, 7, 7:30, 8:15.	Corn Squeezing, 5:30, 6:45; News 6, 6:30, 7, 7:30, CBS World News, 8, Bill Jenkins, 7:45, 9.
9 :00	Wake Up and Smile	Guest star	Musical Clock with Art Brown	News; Off the Record	Rosebud Jr. Chorus	Mahoney Reader; News
:15	National Children's	Dream House		" "	Tales and Tunes	Youth Takes a Stand
:30	Frolic	Adventures of Archie Andrews	Jackie Hill Show	Top Tune Time	Toastime Revue	Columbia Record Shop
:45	Calling All Girls		" " "	" " "	" "	" "
10 :00	Your Home Beautiful	Teentimers Show	Faith in Our Time	News; Band Stand	Tunes on Trial	Quizdown
:15	Buddy Weed Trio	" "	Musical Comedy Quiz	" "	" "	" "
:30	Bud Ward	Coffee with Congress Sen. Scott Lucas	Say It With Music	" "	School News; Request High School Requests	Mary Lee Taylor
:45	" "		" " "	" "		" "
11 :00	" "	Novelette	Kate Smith Serenades	News; Symphony	High School Sports	News; Lof's Pretend
:15	" "	Consumer Time	Tableau by Brito	Christ Lay In Bonds of Death (Victor Chorale)	Safety Patrol Parade	" "
:30	Piano Playhouse	Smilin' Ed McConnell	Flight Into the Past		" " "	Adventurer's Club
:45	" "	" "	" "		Photography	" "
12 :00	News, Evans	News; D. Brinkley	Bands for Bonds	NEWS ROUNDUP	Jack Benny Show	Theater of Today
:15	Sweet Swing	Look to This Day	" " "	Midday Star Time	Decision Now	" "
:30	American Farmer	Veterans Adviser	Geo. Stirling's Orch.	Will Bradley	News; King's Men	Stars Over Hollywood
:45	" "	Preakness Preview	" " "	The Latin Touch	Tin Pan Alley	" "
1 :00	Youth Asks Gov't	Farm, Home Hour	News; Sports	News; Record Party	All Sports Parade	Grand Central Station
:15	" " "	" " "	Guest Star	" "	Tony Wakeman	" " "
:30	News; Evans	The Baxters	This Is Jazz	" "	All Sports Parade	County Fair
:45	Sweet Swing	Sight Conservation	" "	" "	Tony Wakeman	" "
2 :00	Our Town Speaks	Eastman School Senior Symphony	Wisconsin Music Festival	News; Record Party	All Sports Parade	Give and Take
:15	" " "	"		" "	Tony Wakeman	" "
:30	Sunset Roundup		Sports Parade	" "	All Sports Parade	You're the Top
:45	" "		" "	" "	Tony Wakeman	" "
3 :00	Stars in the	Doctors,	Easy Listening	News; Record Party	All Sports Parade	Moondial Matinee (Gallaher)
:15	Afternoon	Then and Now	" "	" "	Tony Wakeman	" "
:30	Metropol. Handicap	Names of Tomorrow	Metropolitan Handic'p	" "	All Sports Parade	" "
:45	Eric Haas	" " "	Morales Orch.	" "	Tony Wakeman	" "
4 :00	Speaking of Songs	The Preakness	For Your Approval	News; Broadway Bandwagon	All Sports Parade	Cross Section, USA
:15	" " "	" "	" "		Tony Wakeman	" "
:30	Statler Hotel Band	Three Suns Trio	Symphony Hall		All Sports Parade	Adventures in Science
:45	" " "	King Cole Trio	" "		Tony Wakeman	Embassy Row
5 :00	Saturday Concert	News; Loif'Eid	American Mother of the Year	News; Music Hall	Band of the Day	Symphony Concert
:15	" "	Bob Crosby Orch.	The Charioteers	" "	Tips on Tables	" " "
:30	" "	Crosby; Bergman	Nelson Bell	" "	News; Parade of Hits	" " "
:45	" "	Federal Diary		" "	Parade of Hits	" " "
6 :00	Evans; First Call	Our Foreign Policy	Hawaii Calls	NEWS ROUNDUP	Music for You	6 O'Clock Show
:15	" ; Sports	" " "	" "	Bob Wolff, Sports	" " "	Austine Cassini
:30	Harry Wismer	Curtain Time	Sports, Brundige	Music Hall	Sports, News	Top Talent
:45	Labor, USA	" "	Fiorello LaGuardia	" "	Keep Well	" "
7 :00	Voice of Business	Life of Riley	Twenty Questions	News; Music Hall	Bible Quiz	Date With Jerry
:15	Y-Living; Tunes	" "	" "	" "	" "	Show Tunes
:30	Music Library	Truth or Consequences	Man Behind the Band	" "	John W. Vandercook	The Little Show
:45	" "	" " "	Albert Warner	" "	Labor Arbitration	Jean Sablon
8 :00	Hollywood	Your Hit Parade	The Mighty Casey	News; Sat. Eve. Concert: Verdi's "Requiem"	" "	Vaughn Monroe's Orch.
:15	Open House	" " "	" "		" "	" "
:30	I Deal in Crime	Can You Top This	High Adventure		News; 1450 Club	Mayor of the Town
:45	" "	" " "	" "		Jackson Lowe	" " ; News
9 :00	Gangbusters	Judy Canova	Chicago Theater	Saturday Eve. Concert	1450 Club	Bill Goodwin Show
:15	" "	" "	" "	" " "	Jackson Lowe	" "
:30	Murder and	Grand Ole Opr'y	" "	" " "	News; 1450 Club	Sat. Nite Serenade
:45	Mr. Malone	" " "	" "	" " "	Jackson Lowe	" " "
10 :00	Professor Quiz	News; Tyner	Korn's a-Krackin'	Post Preview	Around the Town	This Is Hollywood
:15	" "	Tyner Time	" "	Guest Star	" "	" "
:30	James D. Francis	Lawrence Welk Orch.	National Moondial (Art Brown)	Music for Dreaming	News; Juke Box Revue	Sweeny and March
:45	Hayloft Hoedown	" " "		" " "	" " "	" " "
11 :00	News, Evans	News; Music	Voice of Washington	News and Sports	1450 Club	News, Calmer, Vickers
:15	Hour of Dreams	Art of Living	Dance Music	Dance Serenade	Jackson Lowe	Sports, McDonald
:30	Lee Dayton	Three Suns Trio	" " "	" "	Dance Party	Moondial
:45	Ray Michael	Lee Sims; News	" " ; News	" "	" "	Eddie Gallaher

TODAY'S RADIO HIGHLIGHTS

How Leblanc changed salt into soda is described on "Adventures in Research." WQQW—9 a. m.

Gildersleeve narrates "Puss in Boots." WWDC and WWDC-FM—9:15 a. m.

Basil Rathbone narrates "Peter and the Wolf" with Stokowski and All-American Orchestra. WQQW—9:30 p. m.

Should All Scholarships Be Based on Scholastic Ability?—local student forum. WWDC—9:30 a. m.

Representative Walt Horan, wife and five children are breakfast hosts. WRC—10:30 a. m.

"The Little Mermaid" is dramatized. WTOP—11:05 a. m.

The 1930 flight to Antarctica is dramatized. WOL—11:30 a. m.

Preakness Preview from jockeys' weighing-out room at Pimlico. WRC—12:45 p. m.

Joe Dosh, D. C. singer who used to sing on Hit Parade, is guest on "Record Party." WINX and WINX-FM—1:05 p. m.

Premiere performances of Elliot Weisgarber's "Music for Flute and Strings" and Frederick Woltmann's "Symphony for Voice and Orchestra on Poems of Walt Whitman." Eastman School Symphony under Howard Hanson. WRC—2 p. m.

Metropolitan Handicap from Belmont Park. WMAL and WOL—3:30 p. m.

Preakness Stakes. WRC—4 p. m.

Dorothy Holloway, Trans-Radio and Variety, discusses "Reporting the Radio Industry." WQQW—4:45 p. m.

Ruggiero Ricci is violin soloist with ABC Symphony under Chauncey Kelley. WMAL—5 p. m.

Shirley Booth and Stroud Twins visit Vaughn Monroe. WTOP—8 p. m.

Maureen O'Sullivan and Richard Greene star in "The Adventuress." WTOP—10 p. m.

WQQW 570

7:00 a.m. Good Morning Music
8:55 a.m. News
9:00 a.m. Adventures in Research
9:15 a.m. "Naturally Speaking"
9:30 a.m. "Peter and the Wolf"
10:00 a. m. Symphonie Espagnole
11:00 a. m. Sing Something Simple
11:30 a.m. Coates' Music
11:45 a.m. Instrumentally Yours
12 noon Tombeau de Couperin
1:00 p.m. News Roundup
1:15 p.m. French Folk Music
1:30 p. m. French Broadcast
1:45 p. m. Here's to Veterans
2:00 p.m. Familiar Music; News
3:00 p. m. Speaking of Music
4:00 p. m. Chamber Music
4:45 p.m. Talk With Listener
5:00 p. m. Musicale
5:30 p.m. Cafe Con't'n.; News
6:00 p. m. Pops Concert; News
7:00 p. m. Dinner Music

FM

WINX-FM 92.9 and 44.7
WINX-FM duplicates WINX programs between 9 a. m. and 11:15 p. m. except for "Summer Concert" at 6:30.

WWDC-FM 100.9
WWDC-FM duplicates WWDC programs between 7:30 and 11 p. m. except for Nats game at 2:25 p. m. and music at 8:35 p. m.

WASH-FM 98.9
WASH-FM operates from 2:55 to 11 p. m. Weather, 2:55, 7:55, 11. News, 4:15. This Day, 5. British News(9:30. Music, 3, 5:15, 5:30, 6, 7, 7:30, 8, 9, 9:45.

Portraits

By James J. Metcalfe

Very Special Poem

I know a certain daddy who . . . Is pleased as he can be . . . With one attractive member of . . . His happy family . . . He sent his love and kisses with . . . A box of candy sweet . . . To give his youngest girl a thrill . . . And something good to eat . . . And when she wrote her note of thanks . . . She took sufficient time . . . To tell him of her gratitude . . . In rhythm and in rhyme . . . It did not sound like Shakespeare or . . . Like Edgar Allen Poe . . . But it had all the sentiment . . . That poetry could show . . . And all the culture in the world . . . That he could find today . . . Would never match the beauty of . . . The words she tried to say.

Reader Service

Many home makers who take an armchair slip cover in their stride are frightened by the thought of covering a sofa. No need to be—it's really no more complicated than covering a chair.

You proceed in just about the same way, except that now there are three inside back and seat sections instead of one, and covers for three removable cushions. If your material is plaid or has a large motif, the design must be centered on each of the back sections and each of the cushions. By choosing a striped fabric, or one with an over-all design, you can save yourself this trouble.

Pin your material right on the sofa—or make a paper pattern—then cut, baste and sew.

Send 25 cents (coin) for "Making Slip Covers Successfully" to The Washington Post Reader Service, 243 W. 17th st., New York 11, N. Y. Print name, address, booklet title and No. 35.

It's About Time

By Dolores Boland

It's About Time to make white or pastel washable and detachable trimming, for those dark town and office frocks. Avoid the usual tackin collars and cuffs. Make bands and bows of linen or pique to button on. Buttons covered with dress fabric are trimming, used alone.

Just Hearsay

"I'm so glad you finally found a hobby"

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HERE is a pleasant little game that will give you a message every day. It is a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner of the rectangle and check every one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

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Salaries Paid Corporation Heads Listed

Philadelphia, May 9 (AP).—E. T. Stannard, president and director of Kennecott Copper Corp., New York, was paid $125,940 last year, the company's annual report filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission showed today.

Two other Kennecott officials, C. T. Ulrich, vice president and treasurer, and D. D. Moffat, vice president, were paid gross salaries of $60,730 and $60,050 respectively. Other gross salaries reported include:

The Midland Steel Products Co., Cleveland—E. J. Kulas, president, $99,429.

Continental Can Co., Inc., New York—C. C. Conway, chairman of board, $96,100; H. A. Eggerss, president, $65,100.

The Eagle-Picher Co., Cincinnati—J. M. Bowlby, president, $80,000.

Fashion Frocks, Inc., Cincinnati—Philip Meyers, president and treasurer and president of Southern Garment Corp., $77,711; Clarence T. Israel, manager of Harford Frocks Division of Co., $74,949.

Boston Edison Co., Boston—James V. Toner, president, $75,210.

American Coating Mills, Inc., Elkhart, Ind.—Richard L. Snideman, president, $75,009.

Wheeling Steel Corp., Wheeling, W. Va.—William M. Holloway, chairman of board, $70,416; Archie J. McFarland, president, $68,750; John L. Neudoerfer, vice president, $50,833.

Houdaille-Hershey Corp., Detroit—Charles Getler, president and chairman of board, $70,000.

The Detroit Edison Co., Detroit—Prentiss M. Brown, chairman of board, $60,400.

United Biscuit Co. of America, Chicago—K. F. Maclellan, president, $60,000; A. P. Strietmann, chairman of board, $60,000.

Howe Sound Co., New York—H. H. Sharp, president, $59,350.

Melville Shoe Corp., Nek York—Ward Melville, president, $53,641.

Pennsylvania Glass Sand Corp., Lewistown, Pa.—William J. Woods, president and general manager, $51,249.

Certain-Teed Products Corp., Chicago—Rawson G. Lizars, president and chairman of board, $50,800.

The Mead Corp., Dayton, Ohio—George H. Mead, chairman of board, $50,681.

Hazel-Atlas Glass Co., Wheeling, W. Va.—A. F. Brady, vice president and New York sales representative and J. H. McNash, chairman of board and president, each $50,000.

Raybestos-Manhattan Inc., Passaic, N. J.—S. Simpson, president, $50,500.

Local Produce

Eggs and Poultry

EGGS—Market continued irregular, about steady on top grades, weak on under grades and ungraded stock; receipts and supplies heavy, demand fair to good on better grades, slow for off-quality and ungraded. Prices paid f.o.b. Washington for Federal-State graded eggs received fromm grading stations May 9, 1947: Whites, browns, mixed colors, U. S. grade A; large, 49; mediums, 44; U. S. grade B, large, 44; U. S. grade C, 37. Commercially graded eggs, grade A, large, 49; medium, 44. Current receipts, 39@40.

LIVE POULTRY—Market steady, supplies ample, demand fair. Prices paid f.o.b. Washington: Fowl, heavy type, 36@37; light type, 34; broilers, fryers and roasters, 32@33.

DRESSED POULTRY (iced and Western best packed)—Market steady except for fryers which were weak and 1c lower; supplies ample, trading fair to good. Prices paid f.o.b. Washington: Fowl, heavy, 45@46; broilers, 40@43; fryers, 36@38½; roasters, 4 lbs., 38@39; 4½ lbs., 41@43; 5 lbs., few 44@46.

Fruits and Vegetables

APPLES—Demand good, market steady for best stock, demand slow, market about steady for ordinary stock; Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia and West Virginia, bushel baskets, boxes and Eastern crates, U. S. Winesaps, 2¼-in., 3.50@3.75; 2½-in., 4.00@4.50; 4/5 bushel sizes, showing decay, 1.50@2.00; Pippins, 2¼-in., 3.25@3.50; 2½-in., 3.75@4.00; 2¾-in., 4.00@4.50; all Cs, some waxy, 2.50@3.50; Romes, 2½-in., 3.25@3.50; 2¾-in., 3.50@3.75; Delicious, 2¼-in., 3.00@3.50; 2½-in., 3.75@4.00; all sizes, waxy, 2.00@3.00; Golden Delicious, 2¼-in., 3.00@3.25; 2½-in., 3.75@4.00; Ben Davis, 2½-in., 3.00@3.50; Arkansas Blacks, 2¼-in., 3.00@3.50; 2½-in., 4.00@4.25; Yorks, 2¼-in., 3.00@3.50; 2½-in., 3.25@3.50; all sizes, scalded, 1.00@1.50.

ASPARAGUS—Market dull and weak; South Carolina, wide range in prices; pyramid crates, dozen, bunched, Colossal, 3.50@4.50, mostly around 4.00; fancy 2.50@3.50; mostly 3.00; choice 2.00@2.50.

CABBAGE—Market stronger; Florida, bushel baskets, some round type, packed locally, 2.50@3.00; few best higher; New York, 50-lb. sacks, Danish type, mostly 3.00, poorer lower.

CELERY—Market steady; Florida, 16-in., wirebound crates, trimmed tops, Golden Heart, 2½ to 6 doz., 4.00@4.50; mostly around 4.50; Georgia, 8s and 10s, 3.50@4.00.

GRAPEFRUIT—Standard wirebound boxes, condition grades, Florida, all sizes, 2.50@3.00; standard boxes, 36c to 80s, heavy, 46s to 54s, Duncans, 2.75@3.00, seedless, 2.75@3.25; some low as 2.50.

GREEN ONIONS—Nearby section, 2c-4c per bunch.

ONIONS—Market dull; 60-lb. sacks, U. S. 1, yellows, some sprouted, Indiana, Michigan, New York and Wisconsin, 1.25@1.50; poorer low as 1.00; Indiana and Michigan, 25-lb. Bermudas, U. S. Commercial, 2.25@2.50; mostly sacks, white boilers, 50@1.00; Texas, yellow 3.40; Jumbos, 2.50@2.75, mostly 2.65.

ORANGES—Combination grade, standard wirebound boxes, Florida, all sizes, wide range in prices; best, 3.50@4.00; low as 3.00; California, 176s and larger, 5.75@6.00; few sales high as 6.25.

POTATOES—Old stock, market steady; Katahdins, Maine, U. S. 1, size A, 100-lb. sacks, 3.75@4.00, mostly 3.75; 50-lb. sacks 1.80@2.00; 10-lb. sacks 40@42; 100-lb. sacks, Green Mountains, U. S. 1, best 3.75, low as 3.50; Canada, 100-lb. sacks, Katahdins and Chippewas, 3.75@4.00; Green Mountains, 3.50@3.75; Idaho, Russet Burbanks, U. S. 1, 100-lb. sacks, 4.50@4.75, mostly 4.50; new stock, market steady, 50-lb. sacks, Bliss Triumphs, U. S. 1, Florida, 3.00@3.25; Texas, 3.00@3.25, mostly 3.25; California, 100-lb. sacks, White Whites, U. S. 1, 4.50@4.75.

STRAWBERRIES—Market slightly stronger; L. A. 24-pt. display crates, Kingsmores, 8.50; North Carolina, 24-pt. crates, wide range in prices, best 11.00@12.00; some poorer low as 8.00.

Chicago Grain

Chicago, May 9 (AP).—Price changes in grains on the Board of Trade were minor today and activity was on a reduced scale from earlier sessions this week. Many traders remained on the sidelines awaiting the Government crop report.

With grain men expecting a winter wheat crop of around one billion bushels, wheat eased despite re-entry of the Production and Marketing Administration into the flour market. Oats advanced fractionally, while May corn showed strength in an otherwise listless cereal trade.

Wheat closed ¼ to 1¼ lower, May 2.65@2.65½; corn was ¾ lower to 1 cent higher, May 1.70⅝@1.70½, and oats were ⅛ to ¾ higher, May 93⅞@94.

There was a little buying in wheat attributed to mills. The FMA offered $6.40 a hundred pounds for flour shipped from Atlantic ports and $6.20 for Gulf port shipments. Both prices were unchanged from the levels existing when the agency withdrew from the market.

More favorable reports on the new wheat crop were heard. Modern Miller, a trade publication, said the crop outlook was more favorable now than it was even a week ago. In Canada, according to the Searle Grain Co., moisture condition in the prairie provinces is better than last year.

The range follows:

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	2.67	2.67½	2.65	2.65¼
July	2.26	2.26½	2.24⅝	2.25⅛
September	2.19½	2.19⅝	2.17⅝	2.18⅛
December	2.17	2.17¼	1.15	2.15⅛
Corn—				
May	1.69⅝	1.71⅛	1.68⅜	1.70⅛
July	1.62⅛	1.62⅝	1.60⅛	1.62
September	1.53⅞	1.53⅞	1.52	1.53⅜
December	1.42⅝	1.42⅝	1.41⅛	1.42⅛
Oats—				
May	94	94½	92¾	94
July	82½	83¼	83¼	83
September	76⅞	76⅞	76⅛	76⅛
December	74¾	75	74¾	74⅛
Barley—				
May	1.35⅛	1.35⅛	1.35⅛	1.35⅛
Lard—				
July	19.50	19.50	19.25	19.25
September	19.80	19.80	19.40	19.40
October	19.00	19.00	19.00	19.00
November	18.25	18.25	18.15	18.15

Cash Grain

Chicago, May 9 (AP).—WHEAT—None.

CORN—No. 3 yellow, 1.74½; No. 3, 1.72@1.74½; No. 4, 1.70¾@1.71; No. 4 white, 1.69.

OATS—No. 1 heavy white, 1.01½@1.02; No. 1 white, 1.01; No. 2 white, 96@99½.

BARLEY—Malting, 1.60@2.06 nominal.

RYE—1.30@1.46 nominal.

Quotations on N. Y. Stock Exchange

By The Associated Press

Total stock sales yesterday, 720,000 shares; previous day, 670,000; week ago, 954,460; year ago, 1,819,880; two years ago, 1,066,747; January 1 to date, 92,860,820; year ago, 152,673,102; two years ago, 141,315,222.

Dow-Jones Stocks

New York, May 9.—

	Open	High	Low	Close	Change
30 ind.	171.47	172.21	170.52	171.54	—0.62
20 rails	44.59	44.81	44.38	44.64	—0.09
15 utils.	33.73	33.88	33.63	33.85	+0.10
65 stks.	60.47	60.74	60.17	60.53	—0.01

Transactions in stocks used in averages today: Industrials, 78,500; rails, 37,670; utilities, 34,500; 65 stocks, 150,670.

	Sales Add 00	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
Abbott Lab	1	70¼	70¼	70¼	— ⅜
Acme Stl	2	48	48	48	+ ¼
Adams Exp	11	14½	14½	14½	...
Adams-Millis	2	44	42¼	42¼	—2¾
Admiral Corp	2	31	31	31	+ ⅛
Air Reduction	3	31	31	31	+ ⅛
Alaska Juneau	10	4	4	4	...
Aldens Inc	2	22½	22½	22½	— ⅛
Alleghany Corp	29	3½	3½	3½	— ⅛
Alleghany pf	12	30¾	30¼	30¾	— ⅛
Alleghany pr pf	1	59¾	59¾	59¾	— ⅛
Alleg Lud Stl	8	36¼	35½	35½	— ⅛
Allen Industries	1	18	18	18	— ⅛
Al Chem & Dye	6	171	169¼	169¼	— ¾
Allied Kid	1	19½	19½	19½	— ¼
Allied Mills	11	33¾	33½	33⅝	+ ⅛
Allied Strs	10	32½	32½	32⅝	+ ⅛
Allied St pf	2	102¾	102¾	102¾	...
Allis-Ch Mfg	22	33	32¼	32¾	+ ¼
Allis-Ch Mfg pf	1	94¾	94¾	94¾	— ⅜
Amerada Pet	3	83¼	83	83¼	— ⅛
Am Ag Ch Del	1	38	38	38	— ⅛
Am Airlines	27	9⅝	9½	9⅝	...
Am Airlines pf	1	73½	73½	73½	...
Am Bank Note	1	24	24	24	...
Am Brake Sh	7	40½	40	40¼	...
Am Cable & R	10	4¾	4¾	4¾	...
Am Can	1	91½	91½	91½	...
Am Car & Fdy	2	42¼	42¼	42¼	...
Am Ch & Chle	8	22½	22¼	22½	...
Am Crystal Sug	7	23	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Am Export L	3	18½	18½	18½	— ⅛
Am & For Pow	14	4¼	4	4	— ⅛
Am & F P 2 pf	9	17¾	17½	17⅝	— ⅛
Am-Hawaii Ss	7	40¾	40¼	40¾	+ ⅛
Am Hide & Lea	1	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	...
Am Hi&L pf	1	52½	52½	52½	— ⅛
Am Home Prod	11	25¼	25	25	...
Am Ice	3				
Am Internat	21	10½	10½	10½	...
Am Invest Ill	3	13⅞	13½	13⅝	— ⅛
Am Locomot	32	22¼	21½	21¾	— ⅛
Am M & Fdy	2	21¾	21¾	21¾	...
Am Metal	3	30½	30½	30½	...
Am News Co	2	30½	30½	30½	— ⅛
Am Pow & Lt	26	12	11¾	11¾	+ ⅛
Am P&L $5 pf	5	115½	115½	115½	— ⅛
Am P&L $6 pf	5	104¾	104¾	104¾	— ⅛
Am Rad & St S	46	13⅝	13½	13⅝	...
Am Roll Mill	15	29¾	29	29¾	+ ⅝
Am Safe Razor	37	11	10¾	11	...
Am Seating	1	17	17	17	...
Am Smelt & R	14	53¾	53¼	53¾	...
Am Sm & R pf	2	164	163	164	...
Am Snuff	4	34¾	34½	34⅝	+ ⅛
Am Stl Fdrs	2	30	29¾	30	+ ⅛
Am Sugar Ref	7	25½	25½	25½	...
Am Sugar Ref pf	7	38	38	38	...
Am Tel & Tel	32	165¾	164¾	165¼	...
Am Tobacco	1	67	67	67	...
Am Tob B	15	66⅞	66½	66⅝	— ⅛
Am Viscose	5	46	45½	46	...
Am Wat Wks	13	15	14½	15	+ ⅛
Am Woolen	36	32	31¼	31⅞	+ ⅛
Am Wool pf	1	99	99	99	— ⅛
Am Zinc L&S	7	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	...
Anaconda Cop	20	36¾	35¾	36⅜	+ ⅛
Anchor Hock Gl	1	45¾	45½	45¾	...
Ander-Prich Oil	2	16½	16½	16½	...
Arch-Dan-M	2	31¾	31½	31½	...
Armour & Co	14	11½	11½	11½	...
Armstrong Cork	1	43¾	43¾	43¾	...
Artloom Corp	1	11½	11½	11½	...
Assd Dry Goods	8	15¾	15½	15¾	...
Associates Inv	1	43	43	43	+ ⅛
Atch T & S F	11	78	77¾	78	+ ⅛
Atch T & S F pf	3	105	105	105	...
A T F Inc	3	13¼	13¼	13¼	...
Atl Coast Line	3	48¾	48½	48⅝	+ ⅛
Atl G & W Ind	1	27	27	27	...
Atl Refining	6	34½	34½	34½	...
Atlas Corp	2	22¾	22¾	22¾	...
Aust Nichols	4	6¾	6¾	6¾	...
Autocar Co	3	23½	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Autom Canteen	3	19	18⅞	18⅞	— ⅛
AVCO Mfg	161	3¾	3½	3⅝	...
AVCO Mfg pf	2	42¼	41½	42¼	+ ⅝
Babbitt B T	4	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝	— ⅛
Bald Loco	22	19⅜	19	19⅜	...
Balt & Ohio	56	10⅛	9⅞	10⅛	— ⅛
Balt&Ohio pf	26	15	14½	15	+ ⅛
Bangor & Ar	3	12	12	12	+ ⅛
Barker Bros	1	19¾	19¾	19¾	...
Barnsdall Oil	17	24½	23¾	24⅛	+ ⅛
Bath Ir Wks	6	17	16¾	16¾	— ⅛
Baych Cigars	2	19⅜	19¼	19⅜	+ ⅛
Beatrice Foods	6	43½	42¾	42¾	— ⅛
Beech Aire	23	7⅛	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
Beech-Nut Pack	4	32¾	32¾	32¾	— ⅛
Bell Aire	1	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞	+ ⅛
Bendix Aviat	9	31	30¾	31	+ ⅛
Benef Indus Ln	2	23½	23½	23½	...
Benef Ind Lnpf	1	99½	99½	99½	— ⅛
Best & Co	3	27¾	27¾	27¾	...
Best Foods	4	23½	22¾	22¾	— ⅛
Beth Steel	17	84¾	83¾	84¼	— ⅛
Bigelow-Sanf	4	49½	48¾	48¾	—1
Black & Decker	1	30	30	30	...
Blaw-Knox	4	15	14¾	14¾	— ⅛
Bliss (E W)	2	20¼	20¼	20¼	— ⅛
Boomhower Lu	1	28½	28½	28½	...
Boeing Airplane	2	17	17	17	— ⅛
Bohn Al&Br	1	44	44	44	— ⅛
Bond Strs	3	27¾	27¾	27¾	— ⅛
Borden Co	12	41	40	40¼	—1
Borg-Warner	7	43	42½	42¾	— ⅛
Bower Roll Br	1	33¼	33¼	33¼	+ ⅛
Brandt Airc	1	9¾	9¾	9¾	...
Bridgeport Br	4	13½	13½	13½	...
Briggs Mfg	11	33⅞	32¾	33⅛	+ ⅛
Briggs & Strat	1	25½	25½	25½	...
Bristol-Myers	5	41	40¼	40¾	— ⅛
Bklyn-Man Tra	2	19	19	19	...
Bucyrus-Erie	6	14¾	14⅜	14⅜	— ⅛
Budd Co	23	10⅞	10¾	10¾	— ⅛
Buffalo Forge	7	27¾	27½	27½	— ⅛
Bullard Co	3	18	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
Bulova Watch	1	27¼	27¼	27¼	— ⅛
Burling Mills	11	15¾	15½	15½	— ⅛
Burr Add Mach	3	13⅝	13½	13⅝	— ⅛
Bush Terminal	7	7¾	7	7	— ⅛
Butler Bros	14	13¾	13	13¼	— ⅛
Butte Cop&Zinc	2	17	17	17	...
Byers (A M)	2	15⅞	15⅞	15⅞	— ⅛
Byron Jackson	2	21½	21½	21½	...
Calif Packing	14	27	26¾	26¾	+ ⅛
Callahan Z-Ld	4	2¾	2¾	2¾	...
Calumet & Hec	4	7¼	7¼	7¼	...
Campbell W & C	1	26½	26½	26½	— ⅛
Can Dry G Ale	28	13⅝	13	13⅜	— ⅛
Canad Pacific	47	11	10¾	10⅞	— ⅛
Cannon Mills	1	59¾	59¾	59¾	+ ¼
Capital Adm	1	33	33	33	...
Carpenter Stl	1	43¾	43¾	43¾	+ ⅛
Carrier Corp	1	14⅜	14⅜	14⅜	+ ⅛
Carriers & Gen	2	64	64	64	...
Case (J I) Co	1	33¼	33¼	33¼	...
Caterpil Trac	3	53¼	53¼	53¼	...
Celanese Corp	23	19½	18⅞	19⅛	— ⅛
Celotex Corp	9	23⅜	23¼	23¼	— ⅛
Cent Aguirre	7	20½	20¾	20¾	+ ⅛
Cent Foundry	1	9½	9½	9½	...
Cen Hud G & E	1	9½	9½	9½	...
Cen N Y Pw pf	1	94	94	94	— ⅛
Cent R R N J	1	63¾	63¾	63¾	...
Cerro de Pas	9	32	31¾	32	+ ⅛
Cert-teed Prod	16	14⅜	14⅛	14⅜	+ ⅛
Champ Pap&F	4	21½	21	21	...
Checker Cab	1	11	11	11	...
Ches & Ohio	25	44¾	44	44¼	— ⅛
Chicago Corp	17	7¾	7½	7⅝	...
Chi & E Ill	1	33¾	33¾	33¾	...
Chi & E Ill A	7	6¾	7	7	...
Chi Grt West	1	5¾	5¾	5¾	...
Chi Grt W pf	5	9⅞	9¾	9¾	— ⅛
Chi Ind&L A ct	21	6	5⅞	6	+ ⅛
Ch M S P&Pac	16	9	8¾	8¾	...
Ch M S P&P pf	15	28⅞	28¾	28¾	— ⅛
Chi & N W	7	18	17⅞	18	...
Chi Pneu Tool	4	24¾	24½	24⅜	— ⅛
Chi Yell Cab	2	13	13	13	+ ⅛
Childs Co	2	5¾	5¾	5¾	...
Chrysler Corp	85	102	99¼	101¾	+ 1¼
Cin G & E	28	25¾	25	25⅝	—1⅛
Cin Mill Mch	7	23½	23	23	...
C I T Finan	11	40⅝	40	40½	...
City Stores	8	15½	15½	15½	...
Clev El Illum	30	37⅞	37⅜	37⅞	+ ⅛
Clev Graph Br	1	63¼	63½	63½	—1
Climax Molyb	15	18¼	18	18	— ⅛
Clinton Ind	1	36¾	36¾	36¾	+ ⅜
Coca-Cola	4	41½	40¾	40¾	— ⅝
Colgate-Pm-P	23	43	42½	42½	— ⅛
Collins & Aik	1	33½	33½	33½	— ⅛
Col Fuel & Ir	24	14	13¾	14	+ ⅛
Col P & If pf	1	17¾	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
Col Broad A	2	24½	24¼	24¼	— ⅛
Col G & El	155	11¼	10¾	11⅛	+ ⅛
Colum Carbon	3	33¾	33¾	33¾	+ ⅛
Col & So Oh El	3	42½	42	42	— ⅛
Comwlth Edis	12	30⅜	30¼	30⅜	+ ⅛
Comwlth & So	1	270	270	270	...
Com & So pf	1	118¼	118¼	118¼	+ ¼
Conde Nast	2	10½	10½	10½	...
Consoleum-Na	3	25¼	25¼	25¾	+ ⅛
Consol Cigar	1	30¾	30¾	30¾	...
Cons Copperm	14	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	— ⅛
Cons Edison	62	26¼	25⅞	26	— ⅛
Cons Edison pf	3	106¾	106¾	106⅝	— ⅛
Cons Grocers	10	13¾	13½	13⅝	+ ⅛
Consol Laundries	1	12	12	12	...
Cons Nat Gas	5	43¼	43	43	...
C RR Cuba pf	16	21	20¾	21	+ ⅛
Cons Vultee	24	14	13¾	13¾	...
Consum Pow	1	35¾	35¾	35¾	...
Container Corp	9	37¾	36½	36½	—1⅛
Cont Bak	8	15¼	14¾	14¾	...
Cont Bak pf	1	100	100	100	+1
Cont Can	37	36¾	36¾	36¾	— ⅛
Cont Diam Fib	3	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	...
Cont Ins	8	50	49¾	49¾	— ⅛
Cont Motors	8	7⅞	6¾	7¾	...
Cont Oil Del	21	39¾	39	39¾	+ ⅛
Cont Steel	4	15¼	15¼	15¼	...
Cooper-Bess	4	14½	14¼	14½	...
Copperweld Stl	1	13¾	13¼	13¼	+ ¼
Corn Prod	10	68½	67½	67½	—1¾
Cornell-Dub El	3	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝	...
Corning Glass	1	27⅝	27⅝	27⅝	+ ⅛
Corn Glass pf	1	103¼	103¼	103¼	+ ¼
Coty Internat	1	3½	3½	3½	...
Crane Co	29	30½	30	30	...
Cream of Wh	4	24¾	24¼	24¼	— ⅛
Crown Cork pf	1	49	49	49	...
Crown Zellerb	3	26½	26¼	26¼	— ⅛
Crucible Steel	6	27	26⅞	27	...
Crucible Stl pf	1	81	81	81	...
Cuban-Am Sug	4	15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	...
Cudahy Pack	6	34½	34	34	— ⅛
Cuneo Press	7	17⅜	17½	17½	...
Curtis Publish	12	8⅝	8⅜	8⅝	+ ⅛
Curtis P pr pf	2	62	62	62	...
Curtiss-Wr	39	4	4⅜	4⅜	...
Curtiss-Wr A	1	17	16⅝	16⅝	— ⅛
Cutler-Ham	1	21⅜	21⅜	21⅜	...
Davison Chem	7	19⅜	19½	19½	— ⅛
Dayton P&L	2	31¾	31¾	31¾	...
Dayton Rub	2	17	17	17	...
Decca Rec	3	15⅜	15½	15½	...
Deere & Co	13	35¾	35½	35¾	...
Del & Hudson	1	37¾	37¾	37¾	+ ⅛
Del Lack & W	23	6⅞	6¾	6¾	— ⅛
Den & RGW ct	8	9¼	9¼	9¼	— ⅛
Detroit Edison	7	23¾	23½	23⅝	+ ⅛
Den&RGW pf ct	7	29¼	28½	29	+ ⅛
Det Mich Stove	5	12	11⅞	11⅞	...
Devoe & R A	14	23½	22¾	23⅛	—1⅛
Diam T Mot	4	20½	20	20½	...
Dist Corp-Seag	18	13	12¾	13	...
Dixie Cup	1	27½	27½	27½	—1
Dr Pepper	2	25½	25½	25½	—2
Doehler-Jarvis	9	19⅜	19¼	19⅜	+ ⅛
Dome Mines	4	16½	16⅜	16⅜	...
Douglas Aircr	7	60½	60	60¼	— ⅛
Dow Chem	4	158	157¾	158	+1
Dresser Indust	19	16⅜	15⅞	16⅛	+ ⅛
Dunhill Int	1	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞	...
du Pont de N	5	179¼	177	177	—1½
du Pont pf	2	127½	127½	127¼	—1¼
D W G Cigar	2	15½	15½	15½	— ⅛
Eagle-Picher	2	22	21½	21⅝	+ ⅛
Eastern Air L	14	22½	21¾	21⅞	— ⅛
East G &F	13	25	24½	25	...
Eastman Kodak	6	236	236	236	+ ¾
Eaton Mfg	1	48	48	48	+ ¼
Edis Bros Strs	2	20½	20½	20½	— ⅛
Exco Prod	9	18½	18½	18½	+ ⅛
Elastic Stop N	1	5¼	5¼	5¼	...
El Auto-Lite	6	53	52½	53	...
Elec Boat	4	11⅞	11⅜	11⅜	— ⅛
El & Mus Ind	2	3	3	3	...
El Pow & Lt	22	14¼	13⅞	14⅛	+ ⅛
El Pow&Lt pf	3	157	156	156	...
El Storage Bat	2	50⅞	50½	50⅞	+ ⅛
El Paso Nat G	1	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝	+ 1⅛
Emerson El M	6	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	...
Endicott- John	14	30¾	30	30⅝	— ⅛
Eng Pub Serv	6	27¾	27¾	27¾	— ⅛
Equit Off Bldg	11	3½	3½	3½	— ⅛
Erie RR	4	9	8⅞	9	+ ⅛
Erie RR pf A	2	51¼	51¼	51¼	— ⅛
Eureka Wms	14	9½	9½	9½	...
Ex-Cell-O	3	35	35	34¾	—1
Eversharp	11	15⅞	15⅝	15⅝	+ ⅛
Fairbanks Mor	3	46½	46½	46½	—1
Fajardo Sugar	2	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	+ ⅛
Fairm Tel & R	17	6⅜	6	6	...
Federat D Strs	12	20	19⅞	19⅞	...
Felt & T Mfg	1	21	21	21	...
Ferro Enam	1	22½	22½	22½	—1
Fid P Fire Ins	17	54½	53½	53½	—1
Firestone T&R	11	51	51	51	...
Firest T&R pf	1	106½	106½	106½	...
First Nat Strs	1	53½	53½	53½	...
Flintkote	13	27¾	28¾	26¾	— ⅛
Florida Pow	2	15¼	15¼	15¼	...
Florsheim Sh A	2	20½	20	20	— ⅛
Follansbee Stl	8	18⅞	18½	18⅝	+ ⅛
Food Fair Strs	8	11½	11	11	...
Foster Wheeler	1	22½	22½	22½	—1
Francisco Sug	2	17	17	17	...
Freeport Sulph	3	41½	41½	41½	...
Fruehauf Tra	2	28⅝	28⅝	28⅝	...
Gabriel Co	1	12½	12½	12½	...
Gair (Robert)	19	6⅝	6½	6⅝	+ ⅛
Gamewell Co	4	14	13¾	14	+ ⅛
Gardner-Denv	2	17	17	17	...
Gar Wood Ind	7	6½	6½	6½	...
Gaylord Cont	8	16	15⅞	16	...
Gen Am Invest	5	13⅞	13½	13⅝	...
Gen Am Trans	6	51	51	51	— ⅛
Gen Baking	5	10⅝	10½	10⅝	...
Gen Cable	18	10	9¾	10	— ⅛
Gen Cable 1 pf	6	40	39½	39